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Hi-Lights and Shadows of the Week's News

Italian sources have confirmed the report that Nazi air men are flying in support of Mussolini's troops. The Italians state their air forces have been withdrawn from the battle of Britain.

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British mechanized troops have penetrated far beyond Bardia in the Libyan desert. General Wavell seems determined to force Mussolini's army in Africa into a decisive battle letting the seige of Bardia run its course. Gen. Graziana is rushing work on defenses at Tobruk, evidently preparing to make a firm stand at that strong port. He is handicapped by lack of mechanized units as the greater part of his tanks were captured by the British in their swift advance in Egypt.

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Some 20,000 Italians are making a last ditch stand against the British at Bardia. Their position is tenable because the main body of troops are baricaded in a dry river bed the banks of which are honeycombed with caves which afford protection against the continual bombardment. Supplies are probably sufficient for quite a long seige, preferred by the British to a direct assault which would cause a big loss of life.

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Greek armies continue a slow advance against the Italians near Klisoura. Some 1,500 Italian prisoners have been taken in the past four days, many being reinforcements sent to relieve hard pressed front line troops. The war has settled down to a difficult stage with opposing troops engaged in waist deep snow drifts for possession of strategic mountain tops.

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Italian attempts to send reinforcements to their armies in Greece have been hit by the Greek and British naval forces which have sunk several troop transports in the last week. The Adriatic is no longer an "Italian pond" since Admiral Cunnigham steamed boldly through the Straits of Otranto to bombard the port of Valona.

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Diplomatic moves of importance this week include pressure of the Nazis on King Boris of Bulgaria and further bickering between Hitler and Stalin. The Bulgarians who presented quite a bold front towards Hitler for two months now seem ready to grant grudging permission for Nazi troops to pass through their country to attack Greece. It appears that Bulgaria would have risked battle with her strong little army of 100,000 men if Stalin would give any encouragement of aid. But the big Russian coward quite plainly will never fight Hitler until the latter shoves a musket down his throat.

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The air battle of Britain continues on one day and off the next. The fiercest fire in London since the 17th century was started last week in the worst fire raid of the war. Meanwhile the RAF carried an attack against channel invasion ports of the Nazis said to equal anything the Germans have yet done For several hours the British planes dropped 100 bombs a minute.

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Bitter resentment burns in Germany and Italy over President Roosevelt's speech to the nation Sunday. Hitler, while not referring directly to the Roosevelt statement has broadcast word to his nation guaranteeing victory in 1941.

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The President has been widely lauded for his speech pledging aid to the British to defeat the Axis. Condemnation has also come from some isolationist groups who declare Roosevelt is leading the country swiftly into war. Army men while keeping silent are disappointed that the Chief Executive has not called of a moratorium on the 40 hour week during the defense building emergency. Army men have for some time insisted that re-armament cannot be accomplished with a short working week.

GUILD MEETING

The Presbyterian Guild meets next Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Wyckoff Sherwood on Maple street.

TO MEET THURSDAY

The Ladies Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church meets next Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Maurice E. Miller on Tuscarora street.

Carpenter Will Speak at Ad Club Thursday

Attorney Edwin Carpenter of Corning will be the speaker at the Thursday night dinner meeting of the Advertising Club to be held this week. This will be the first meeting of the new year and will also mark the beginning of a new fiscal period for the club members.

President Milton Crane will outline some activities planned by the Executive Board for the coming year. Attorney Carpenter will speak on the Military Program planned for the United States as he is a reserve officer in Corning and interested and active in the present military program arranged for that community.

Judge King Takes New Office

Corning, January 2—George A. King, who retired Tuesday as Steuben County district attorney and Wednesday became judge of the county court, has issued the following statement:

"Today, in becoming head of the Steuben County Court, I realized the ambition of a lifetime. However, in assuming the high honor conferred upon me by the people I have a feeling of utmost regret that it marks the passing from active service of my devoted friend of nearly a quarter century, Judge Edwin S. Brown, whose kindly advice aided me when I commenced practice in hi scourt, who encouraged my ambition to succeed him at the close of his term and whose good wishes go with me in my new work.

"I take up the heavy responsibilities that are now mine without an unkind thought toward any person and ask the aid of the members of my profession, as well as all residens of the county, that justice may be administered without fear or favor but with a full understanding of and sympathy for the frailities of humanity. It is my desire and intention to follow the policy of Judge Brown in aiding the rehabilitation of those who violate the laws, of extending mercy when possible, of placing every safeguard about the boys and girls, young men and young women who may be faced by adverse conditions.

"I realize that any success I may achieve will be participated in by the officers of the court, the men and women who practice in the court, and by those who devote themselves to upholding the dignity and honor of the bench. In this hour, probably the most eventful one in my life, I offer the pledge that in deciding the critical matters that may come before me, affecting the liberty and the happiness of fellow citizens, I will seek Divine as well as earthly guidance that my acts may be fully approved by right thinking men and women."

Canadians May Help Build Bases

Part of the work of building the new U. S. defense bases may be done by Canadian contractors, according to Angus L. MacDonald, Acting Minister of Munitions and Supply, who recently stated that the United States War Department would receive offers from Canadian and British contractors and firms supplying part of the materials.

No list of materials required has been made public but it is understood that the United States War Department will purchase some Empire products. It is thought that Canadian cement may be employed in some of the bases. Generally speaking, the War Department will employ contractors on a basis of their qualifications and capacity to undertake the work in view, and that tenders will not be asked but that contracts will be awarded to various contractors, with fees varying in accordance with the extent of the work. In this way, no particulars of the work involved in each case will become known.

CONGRESS TO RETURN TO CHAMBERS

When the new Congress meets on Friday it will convene in the House and Senate Chambers which the lawmakers vacated some weeks ago because of the possibility of the roofs falling in. A temporary network of steel beams and girders has been erected making the Chambers safe for occupancy. When a real recess is taken to permit workmen sufficient time to install the permanent new steel structures the final repairs will be made.

Red Cross Materials Are Available

The local Red Cross unit wishes to draw the attention of the people of Woodhull to the fact that materials are available here and the need for having them made up is urgent. At present there are a number of layettes which may be machine or hand made, yarn for socks and children's sweaters. The need for the latter is especially pronounced. Very definite directions are given. These materials are at the Kendall Gas Station. Mrs. Leslie Hodge and Miss Lelia Smith have charge of the distribution of material and will take the finished garments to Corning every month.

Mrs. Clarence Martin Died Monday Morning

Mrs. Hannah Martin, widow of the late Clarence Martin, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Rudolph Steegar at Lincoln Park, N. J., Monday, December 30, 1940 at 1:15 A. M. Her final illness was about four weeks duration but she had been in poor health for some time.

Hannah Hepworth Martin was born in Addison on Curtis Square July 6, 1870, the daughter of William and Sarah Lumby Hepworth. Nearly all her life was spent in the village of her birth where she attended Addison grade school and Addison High School. February 6, 1898 she married Clarence Martin. Mr. Martin died about 20 years ago. Mrs. Martin continued to reside here until 1929 when she moved to Bradford, remaining there 11 years. Since last June she has spent her time among her children.

Mrs. Martin was a member of the Addison Rebekah Lodge and of Bradford Grange. She attended the Methodist Church. She was a woman whose industry was devoted to the welfare of her family and homemaking duties.

She leaves two sons, Ward of Addison and Carl J. of Rochester, two daughters, Mrs. Lee Crandall of Painted Post and Mrs. Steegar. Also five grandchildren and several nephews and nieces.

Funeral services are today (Thursday) at two-thirty o'clock in the MacDowell Funeral Home. Burial in Addison Rural Cemetery.

JOYCE MATHER

Joyce Mather, three months, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Mather, Tuscarora, was buried Sunday afternoon after services conducted by the Rev. M. C. Johns of the Addison Baptist Church. Death came last Thursday afternoon in the Corning Hospital. Pneumonia was the cause. There are no brothers or sisters.

Onwentsia D.A.R.'s Invited to Luncheon

Members of Onwentsia Chapter, D. A. R., are invited to be guests of the Chemung Chapter in Elmira at a luncheon January 10. The honored guests at this luncheon will be Mrs. William Pouch and Mrs. George Duffy. Daughters who plan to attend should make reservations with the local regent, Mrs. W. S. Long by January 8.

SCOTS USE LIGHTING GAS FOR CAR FUEL

The war which began in September, 1939, had not been long under way before automobiles using illuminating gas appeared in Scotland. In Glasgow it was proposed to establish 250 or more gas compressing stations throughout the country, and some were established without delay. The project provided for a new type of equipment for vehicles, from small cars to ten-ton trucks.

Sisto Sends Checks to All Churches

Mayor Angelo Sisto played Santa Claus to the five churches of the community just before Christmas by sending each of them a check for $25 to be used as the pastors see fit. This is the second gift of a like amount given by Mr. Sisto during the past year. The money represents his salary as mayor, which is always given to some institution or charity each year and has been during the past seven years of his administration. There was no fanfare relative to the gifts, information as to the gifts coming from the pastors of the various churches. Those receiving funds were: Baptist, Methodist, Presbyterian, Episcopal and Catholic churches.

Draft Questionnaires Received This Week

Draft questionnaires have been received by the following young men of this vicinity during the past week: Albert Leroy Travis, Theodore Rice, Harry Lyle Dickey, Charles E. Champlain, Fred H. Swarts of Addison, Harold Ralph Mattison of Rathbone, Frederick Francis Wheeler of Rathbone, Neil Kilmer of Addison, Thomas Harold Lynch of Addison, Charles Raymond Avery of Addison, Stuart Harold Bean of Addison, William Edward Morseman of Cameron Mills, Robert William Hallett of Addison.

Doctors on the examining board have reorganized the physical examination routine to expedite the examinations and to give expert care as far as possible in examining prospective draftees.

MRS SMITH RECOVERING

Mrs. Harold B. Smith is recuperating slowly in her South street home from the effects of a fall sustained last week in her home. She received a sprained ankle.

Kennel Club Meets Thursday

Southern Tier Kennel Club members will gather in Addison Thursday night for a dinner and discussion meeting. The dinner will be served at 7:30 o'clock in the Eagle Hotel.

This is a group of dog lovers of this vicinity interested in purebred dogs. A cordial invitation is extended to those interested in purebreds to join the organization and to meet with the kennel devotees on Thursday night of this week.

Dr. Matthew Whitmore of Addison is in charge of arrangements for the affair and anyone desiring to attend may call him or the Eagle Hotel. Members are from several towns and cities in the southern tier including Elmira and Hornell.

Twenty Guests at Towner Table

Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn Towner entertained a party of twenty to dinner at their home Christmas. Included in the circle at the Towner table were: Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Towner, Glenora Towner, Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn Towner, Jr. and son Terry, Kenneth Hurd, Carrie Hurd and Kenneth Hurd, Jr. of Lawrenceville, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Case of Bridgeport, Conn., Mr. and Mrs. Ray Towner, Mrs. Maude Towner, Winifred Towner, Ray and Vernon Towner of Coopers, Friday Dukart and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Towner.

Juvenile Grangers Entertain with Program

Juvenile Grange members were in charge of the program at the Grange meeting in Addison Grange Hall last Friday night. Mrs. Sheldon Stewart was in charge of the activities and directed the young people in their parts.

The program was as follows: "O' Come All Ye Faithful" sung by the entire group; a playlet, "A Christmas Wish" by Marion Wilson, Wanda Butler and Joyce Jones; a reading "Just Before Christmas" by Keith Jones; a musical number by Elaine Hess, Carrie Jean Pierson, Wanda Butler and Virginia Ford. This was followed by the singing of "Silent Night".

"The Midwinter Fire" was a play and the program closed with the singing of "O Little Town" by the entire group.

Masonic Masters Are Invested

Masonic Masters of Steuben District of Blue Lodges were formally invested at ceremonies held in Addison Masonic Lodge last week under the direction of Wilson W. Peet Painted Post, assistant grand lecturer. There were 38 masters and past masters present at the impressive ceremonies. A dinner served by the Addison Eastern Star members preceded the services in the lodge chambers.

Surrogate Judge George Pratt gave the principal talk and outlined the work before the incoming Masters. The grand lodge officers were assisted by the following past masters of Addison lodge, Harvey Labourr, John Russ and the Rev. John V. Axtell, chaplain.

Farm Groups Elect New Directors

Farm and home bureau members, meeting in annualsession at the Bath Presbyterian Church Friday, elected Smith Bielby, prominent Bath farmer as president, chose Mrs. Aaron Putnam of Wheeler as vice-president, Murray Barnes of Avoca as secretary, and Edward Heinaman of Bath as treasurer.

Voted to the executive committee of the farm bureau were Charles Babcock and Harold Putnam of Prattsburg and Lee Edmond of Cohocton. The home bureau elected Mrs. Bernard Robinson of Hammondsport, Mrs. Harry McMahon, Painted Post, and Mrs. Elroy Hannahs, Addison. Stanley Osborn and Mrs. Earl Hendee, Fremont, and Mrs. Willard Morrison, Presho, were elected to the 4-H executive committee.

Guest speaker at the meeting which attracted an attendance of two hundred fifty farm folks was Robert Kazmayer, noted news commentator, speaking on the subject, "The Challenge Of A Changing World."

Pointing to the fact that France was defeated because of her failure to produce, Mr. Kazmayer stated that America must relearn the virtue of an honest day's work for a day's pay. Whether or not Germany wins the struggle, Mr. Kazmayer stated that American industry will meet sterner competition at the war's end and can only survive if it produces abundantly.

Carl Wellington of Arkport presided. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Thompson, the Bath Rotary quartet presented a musical program. Dr. Frank Nicklaus led the group singing. Dinner was served by the Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian Church.

Uncle Ab says it costs more than twice as much to lead a double life.

ALLEGANY-STEUBEN AYRSHIRES SELL WELL

With an average of $176.53 for 49 Ayrshires of all ages, the 21st annual auction sale recently held at Hornell by the Allegany-Steuben Ayrshire club was one of the most successful ever sponsored by that organization.

A top of $320 was paid by W. K. Bushnell, Shortsville, N. Y. for Caroline Buttercup Dot, second prize aged cow, consigned by L. E. Dennis, Greenwood, secretary of the club. Ten head that were consigned by the following breeders each sold at $200 or over: Arnold Brothers, Canandaigua ($220); Hutchby & Cooper, Newark ($210); John E. Flanagan, Hornell ($230); F. M. Alvord, Friendship ($200); H. F. Cornell, Greenwood ($210); Lloyd Norton, Belmont ($235); Harrison B. Toby, Lindley ($210-$200); and B. C. DeWitt, Hornell ($200).

The heaviest buyer was the Island Creek Coal Company of Holden, West Virginia, represented by John W. Kilgour, who selected seven head for a total of $1320. A top of $230 was paid for a four-year-old cow. Many other Ayrshires have been purchased by this firm during the past few years from breeders in this section of New York State.

The 31 cows offered realized an average of $183.70; eight two and three-year-old heifers averaged $177.50 and eight bred heifers that had not yet freshened made $154.37.

The illustration above shows the aged cow class being judged just before the sale by Dr. E. S. Harrison of Cornell University. A large crowd of interesting bidders from several states was in attendance.

Addison Civic Society To Collect Bundles for Britain

Women plan to collect clothing to be sent abroad and also "white elephant" materials to be sold for cash —Program of sewing and knitting for Red Cross also at January 10 meeting — Collection boxes in four Addison stores.

Women of the Addison Civic Society will meet Friday, January 10 for their first meeting of the new year. President Miss Katharine Darrin will preside. The program will be in charge of Mrs. H. E. Auringer and Mrs. Harry Mullen. It will feature sewing for the Red Cross, collection of clothing for bundles for Britain and also white elephant collections to be sold for the purposes of relief abroad.

The women will sew and knit for the Red Cross as far as possible, others will sort and repair clothing and others will arrange the "white elephant" material which is to be collected under the sponsorship of the club and direction of the civic department of the club. Mrs. Ray S. Brown is chairman of the program committee.

In anticipation of the Addison bundles for Britain collection boxes are to be placed in four local stores where clothing, shoes and "white elephant" material may be left. The boxes will be located in the M. G. Hubbs Electric Store, S. D. MacDowell & Co., furniture store, Harry Laffkas store and the Advertiser office, all on Main street. The clothing will be sent from Corning and the "white elephant" materials will be sold and the cash sent.

All sorts of clothing, not beyond repair, will be accepted and forwarded to the American Committee providing clothing for homeless and needy Britons evacuated by the war and left without homes or clothing for the long winter. Addison and vicinity people are asked to investigate cupboards, drawers, trunks, attics and other hideaways for clothing, stockings, mittens, hats, coats, dresses, shirts and other items which may be sent abroad.

Dairy League Meeting Here January 7

Women of the Society for Christian Service of the Methodist Church will serve the dinner at the meeting of members of sub-district seven of the Dairymen's League Tuesday, January 7. The dinner will be served in the Methodist Church parlors. Herbert Seeley, district director will preside. Officials of the Elmira district office will speak and outline plans for the coming years.

Launch Program to Improve Steuben Horses

Better health for the horse herd of Steuben county is the purpose of the bot eradication campaign now being promoted by the Steuben County Farm Bureau.

Numbering twelve thousand head, the horses on Steuben county farms are valued at a million and a half dollars, rank next to dairy cattle in the livestock investment.

The bot fly, a source of annoyance to horses during the summer, winters in the stomach of the horse, is killed by a simple treatment administered in mid winter.

Eradicition of bots results in less colic, saves feed, and improves the general health of the horse.

Steuben veterinarians are cooperating by providing the service at a nominal fee, for which there should be immediate registration with the farm bureau.

Duce Masses Navy To Escape British

The Italian fleet is said to have been concentrated at Pola and Fiume in the Northern Adriatic to protect the warships against British attack, according to a report from Athens. A single cruiser and some destroyers were the only Fascist warships in action to cover the rear guard withdrawal from the port of Chimara. Obviously the British sea foray into the Adriatic recently exploded the myth of Italian domination of Italy's lake as the Adriatic has been termed.

Civic Society Tea Nets $20

Women of the Civic Society realized $20 on their Christmas tea held last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Stuart H. Bean. There was a program of carol singing in the evening hours of the tea under the direction of Mrs. Irving R. Gladstone.

The home was decorated with holiday flowers, lights and ornaments. Mrs. George Freeman, Mrs. Percy Smith and Mrs. William Gage were in charge of the soliciting for the club. Mrs. Lillie Chatfield was general chairman and Mrs. Milton H. Crane was in charge of the hostesses.

Mrs. Crane was assisted by the following: From four to five o'clock, hostess, Mrs. Willis R. Perry assisted by Mrs. Sam Keck; pourers, Mrs. Charles Brewster and Mrs. John V. Axtell; door keeper, Mrs. Francis Hill; dining room helper, Mrs. Matthew Whitmore; five to six o'clock, hostess Mrs. Claude Martin; pourers Mrs. Guy Ricker and Mrs. Andrew W. Knebel; door keeper, Mrs. Whitmore and dining room, Mrs. Charles Losinger; six to seven o'clock, hostess, Mrs. M. G. Hubbs; pourers, Mrs. M. C. Johns and Mrs. Lee O'Reilly; door keeper, Mrs. Charles F. Park; dining room, Mrs. Losinger; seven to eight o'clock, hostess, Mrs. Charles Salerno, assisted by Mrs. John B. Davis; pourers, Mrs. Bligh Chatfield and Miss Louise Miller, door keeper, Mrs. Bernard Wilson and dining room, Mrs. Jay Mose; eight to nine o'clock, hostess, Mrs. S. M. LaGrange, assisted by Mrs. Edwin Morris, pourers Miss Barbara Whitmore and Miss Betty Tobin; door keeper, Mrs. Wilfred Miller and dining room, Mrs. Frank B. Finnerty.

Week of Prayer Services Here Jan. 5, 7, 8, 9

The National Week of Prayer is from January 5 to 10 this year and the Methodist, Baptist and Presbyterian churches of Addison are going to observe the week in uni services in the churches. The general theme this year is "Prayer and Its Meaning".

The first meeting will be a mass meeting Sunday night January 5 at 7:45 in the Baptist Church with all the people of Addison and vicinity invited to attend. The speaker will be the Rev. M. C. Johns of the Baptist Church. The next meeting will be held Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the Baptist Church with the Rev. John Axtell as the speaker on the theme, "How to Pray and What to Pray For".

Wednesday evening the service will be in the Methodist Church with the Rev. M. C. Johns of the Baptist Church speaking on the theme "Types of Prayer". Thursday evening the service will be held in the Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Van Cossaboon of the Methodist Church as speaker on the theme, "The Lord's Prayer".

Never before in this history of America has prayer been so necessary in the life of the people of America. Never have we needed the guidance of the Almighty as we need it now. So for this reason we call the people of Addison to prayer for help right here in our own village, for help in our own lives and for strength in the lives of our friends and loved ones.

All meetings except Sunday night begin at 7:30 P. M., the meeting on Sunday night begins at 7:45 P. M.

ONE-TREE ORCHARD

An agricultural instructor in New Brunswick has grafted 144 varieties of apples on one tree, which now produces practically every type of apple grown within the province. Literally, he has an orchard in one tree.

Tax Rate Listed For Towns

The state and county tax rates for Steuben County towns and villages has been established. The rates for all towns and villages in this vicinity have been cut with the result that lower taxes will be paid this year than last in all instances.

Rates of communities in this vicinity are: Addison township, $20.-99; Addison village, $16.70; Cameron Town, $24.18; Jasper, $28.66; Lindley, $31.69; Rathbone, $19.80; Troupsburg, $27.52; Tuscarora, $25.07; Woodhull, $16.10 and Woodhull village, $12.64.

The total tax to be raised in the various individual places is: Addison, $23,918.96; Cameron, $16,747.46; Erwin, $41,327.24; Jasper, $21,373.-87; Lindley, $21,754.33; Rathbone, $13,530.39; Troupsburg, $20,576.01; Tuscarora, $13,202.24; Woodhull, $19 949.71.

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OUR THANKS TO JOHN JAY

But for the stubbornness of one early-day American, the enormous buried treasure of iron ore in the Lake Superior district might have gone to Canada and England instead of the United States.

John Jay, first Chief Justice of the United States and later Governor of New York, was the stubborn American who saved the mighty Mesabi and Verhilion ranges for the future of America. He did this in 1794 when President Washington sent him to London to negotiate with the British a treaty necessary because of British failure to keep all the obligations of the Treaty of 1784, which ended the Revolutionary War. Jay's treaty of 1794 secured among other things British surrender of border forts along the Great Lakes.

The United States has within its borders three mighty sources of mineral wealth—the best petroleum supply in the world, the finest and biggest iron supply in the world, and a coal supply that is almost inexhaustible. It is interesting to speculate on how both Canada and the United States might have developed if ownership of the iron ores of the Minnesota and upper Michigan peninsulas had been surrendered by Jay to Britain.

AND WHERE IS JEEVES?

The great army of American readers of P. G. Wodehouse, who created the delightful and imperturable Jeeves, will await impatiently the publication of the novel he is now writing in a German civilian concentration camp in Upper Silesia, Eastern Germany.

The American newsman who visited him recently reports that he is writing the manuscript in was the padded cell of a former insane man. P. G. Wodehouse is one of 1,100 British subjects now longhand, and his work is being done in what held inside double barbed-wire fences. His companions include coal heavers, truck drivers, artists, Cambridge graduates and some of His Majesty's consuls—an assortment of Britons picked up by the Nazis all the way from Brest Litovsk, in Poland to the English Channel, and from Norway to the Brenner Pass.

Wodehouse's exact whereabouts have been somewhat of a mystery ever since he was captured in his French villa last May, and his friends will be grateful to the enterprising correspondent of the Associated Press who obtained permission to visit him.

Jeeves will be upset, no doubt, as he reads the newsman's description of his master's garb when interviewed: "Wodehouse came in smiling and pulled a battered old cap from his shining head. He was wearing a long, heavy tan bathrobe held together with a leather belt; a blue turtleneck sweater; a tweed sports jacket, trousers and a pair of knit gloves. He carried a three-inch stack of sheets of paper—the innards of his new book."

One wonders if the Nazis will insist on censoring the manuscript before publication. That could only make it all the funnier, for what would a German censor make of typical Wodehousian expressions? What dictionary would throw light on his original locutions? To the befuddled censor every verbal invention would contain some sinister, hidden meaning.

Wodehouse intimates that he is getting along as well as could be expected, and will remain unperturbed so long as his supply of pencils and copy paper holds out, though the camp commandant has loaned the creator of Jeeves his personal typewriter. He has won the consideration of his captors by refusing to accept special privileges, and by his gracious bearing and cordiality.

The report does not say if he is accompanied by the immortal, indispensable, ingenious Jeeves. Probably not, for who can doubt that if Jeeves could only have a word or two with Hitler, his master's troubles would quickly vanish.

Look up and not down, look forward and not back, look out and not in, and lend a hand.—E. E. Hale

THE CURTAIN FALLS

Harold MacDonald Anderson, 64, editorial writer of the New York Sun, died of a heart attack last Thursday while on his way to work. Perhaps the outstanding piece of writing of his 34 years on The Sun was his editorial "Lindbergh Flies Alone", which appeared May 21, 1927. It attracted so much attention that The Sun broke its rule of editorial anonymity and credited Mr. Anderson with its authorship.

It has been the lot of a few writers to pen a more exquisite bit of English than this celebrated editorial, which follows:

"Alone?

,"Is he alone at whose right side rides Courage, with Skill within the cockpit and Faith upon the left? Does solitude surround the brave when Adventure leads the way and Ambition reads the dials? Is there no company with him for whom the air is cleft by Daring and the darkness is

It is a condition that confronts us—not a theory.—Grover Cleveland

When temper rises hot and quick,
And you are vexed at friend or mate;
Watch your time-table! Stop just here!
Save the collision! Simply wait!
—Helen Hunt Jackson

made light by Emprise?

"True, the fragile bodies of his fellows do not weigh down his plane; true, the fretful minds of weaker men are lacking from his crowded cabin; but as his airship keeps her course he holds communion with those rarer spirits that inspire to intrepidity and by their sustaining potency give strength to arm, resource to mind, content to soul.

"Alone? With what other companions would that man fly to whom the choice were given?"

Do not bite at the bait of pleasure until you know there is no hook beneath it.
—Thomas Jefferson

DANIEL FROHMAN PASSES

Until Charles Frohman perished dramatically in the sinking of the Lusitania he was more in the public eye than his brother Daniel, who now is dead at the age of 89, after an association with the theatre which began three-quarters of a century ago. But Charles the business man and Daniel the entrepreneur complimented each other in a fashion that made Frohman brothers famous as theatrical producers.

Daniel Frohman had an uncanny instinct for discerning potential talent, and genius in exploiting it to conspicuous success. The stock company which he founded at the old Lyceum Theatre in New York gave the first opportunity to a host of young aspirants who later achieved stardom. Just to mention a few, Maude Adams, E. H. Sothern, James K. Hackett, Viola Allen and Margaret Illington—footlight favorites of their day who are but names to the present generation. Not only did Daniel Frohman recognize native talent, but he saw to it that his finds were provided with plays appropriate to their special abilities and personalities.

The period of Daniel Frohman's greatest activity still gleams through the perspective of the years as the golden age of the American theatre. He contributed materially to the public's store of harmless pleasure, aided many artists to find their place in the sun, and will be sincerely mourned by all who were privileged with his friendship.

To all, to each, a fair good night,
And pleasing dreams; and slumber light.
—Scott

THE STRATEGY OF SURPRISE

Surprise is a proved factor in Hitler's box of tricks. As this is written headlines tell daily of German troop movements into Italy and Rumania. The Nazis are reputedly sending 300,000 men into King Mihail's hapless country, so if this achievement is a feint, it is a feint on a grand scale.

It may be that while the world's attention is centered on the Balkans, Hitler may decide the time is ripe for a crucial blow in the Battle of Britain. But there are elements in the Balkan situation which suggest that the German troop movements are not just so much dust in the eyes of the English. Russia is said to be massing troops on the Rumanian border and to be preparing to occupy the mouth of the Danube as far west as the Siretul River. This would be frowned upon by the Nazis who like to consider the entire Danube valley and its mouths as within their particular sphere of interest.

Perhaps Hitler is preparing for a thrust through Bulgaria into Greece, while the troops reportedly entering Italy are to aid Il Duce's soldiers now fighting a losing battle against the Greeks in Albania. Whether there is to be a showdown between Nazism and Communism, or a belated drive in support of his Axis partner in Albania, it seems to be a fact that Hitler is stringing hundreds of thousands armed men through the Balkans and is accumulating difficult problems of supplies and bases, all of which may be to Britain's temporary and perhaps permanent advantage.

A SCARCITY OF HUMOR

The professor of English at Michigan University, Mentor L. Williams, says there is little humor in America today. Commenting on the prevailing tenseness, and the tendency to restrict and to censor, he lamented the lack of nationally read humorist in America to relieve the situation.

"Where are the Nyes, the Wards, the Mark Twains of yesterday to tell of the two-bit dictators and crackpot philosophers of today?" he asked.

In times of stress, Professor Williams said, leaders of nations tend to lose their heads and to propose measures "foolish and hysterical in character", and the people themselves are "prone to hasty and often irremediable action".

"Happy is the nation which possesses a leadership with a sense of humor, and a band of humorists to keep the safety-valve of popular emotion open."

American humor he classified into six categories, each reflecting an aspect of national character and existence: the humor of the professional joke-cracker; the sardonic humor of the cartoonists; the serio-comic reflections of the columnist; the gentle humor of the amateur observers of life; the grotesque humor of the professional funny men such as Artemus Ward; and the physical humor of the frontier such as the tall tales of Paul Bunyan.

Let there arise, in our hour of need, a new national leader of humor!

PLUG THOSE HOLES

The Rambler

The old year is behind us. 1940 has gone, never to return and even God in his infiniteness cannot bring back that time which has gone. With that year has gone lost opportunities, wasted time, opportunities for service and friendship. Through this year some have died, some have moved away, births, deaths and marriages have been recorded within our circle. And what have we done with the year? The things above mark some of the debits of the year and some of the joys, which also included new friends, renewal of old friendships, new joys and happinesses.

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Now the question arises, what are we going to do with 1941? It is here now for us to use. Are we going to say, "I plan many things" or are we going to say, "I am doing things to make this year better for me and those about me."

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The Rambler belongs to a unique organization in this rapid changing world. It is known as "The Last Man's Club". Rather a Morbid thought in a way, but something that has to be faced. There are 18 fellows who banded together 21 years ago and meet annully to renew their youth, gossip, play a little cards, eat and enjoy the companionship of old friends. Not all can get to the banquet, but all who can make a real endeavor to come from several places to attend. So far none have passed away.

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There is a great deal of sentiment and idealism in this organization and certain ceremonies which make it worth while attending. Life is moving so rapidly about us, that a renewal of youth and youth ideals now and then sort of takes one from reality and can give one a perspective not commonly found in every day life.

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The Little Rambler had his first real Christmas this year and the Old Rambler realized what his own Christmas must have been like many, many years ago. He told Santa what he wanted, awoke early looking for Santa and his toys and then flitted from toy to toy throughout the day. The thing he told Santa he wanted included "a sucker, a telephone, a bicycle" among other things. And when friends and relatives asked him what he received, he told them the above items ,they being the most important to him.

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Many friends were thoughtful in their greeting cards to us and we are grateful for the remembrance and the thoughtfulness.

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Read extracts from a will recently which surprised and amused me, especially in view of the fact I knew the writer. One paragraph read something like this as I remember it", To all those to whom I have been unkind or said an unkind word, I meant it." Guess, he meant it too.

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Christmas Day I attended service in a building nearly 150 years old. It reminded me a great deal of the "Little Whitewashed Church in the Valley" about which we hear Sunday mornings on the Southernnaire program. The clergyman gave a simple homey sermon to the few scattered in the pews of the small village church. The organ was a wheezy affair, the singers untrained, but somehow the music there gave me a pleasant feeling which I have not experienced in cathedrals. I really felt the birth of the Christ child and the experiences of his Mother, Mary and Joseph in that far off land. They became real again.

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It begins to look as the Old Man Weather will be the only one to help up the skating rink for Addison now. Several interested people have secured copperation of vatious groups to give Addison a good skating rink. Get cold wether, and give the kids a break.

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Mayor Sisto again came to the front and donated his salary checks as village official to the church of the community. This is the second gift this year. I heard the news from clergyman and when I asked him about it, he said he is grateful to be alive in America where there is freedom of religion.

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Guess the Rambler's getting old for I had no desire to do any celebrating New Year's Eve. Stacey Newman welcomed patrons of the theatre at a midnight show Tuesday and wished all a happy new year on his sound recording advice.

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A boys' club in New York sent a questionnaire to thousands of young people throughout the country asking two questions, "Who are the most loved men in the country?" and "who are the most hated men in the country?" The majority of answers on the most loved man was Franklin D. Roosevelt and placed God second. The most hated men mentioned were Hitler, Mussolini and third, the Devil.

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The young lady who told me about the survey pointed out the fact that God and goodness placed second and evil placed third giving religion a background in the chief thinking of many of the young people.

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That's all - - -
- - - The Rambler

ROBOT STAMP LICKER —

It is reported from Washington that the postoffice department has developed a "postage meter" machine for parcels which turns out a ready-licked sticker stating the amount of postage and the time of mailing. It is worked with a keyboard, like an office adding machine, and is expected to speed up the handling of parcel post, as well as eliminate stamp licking.

As usual, there is some worry among postoffice folks as to the possible elimination of jobs. The robot made such a good impression while being tried out experimentally during the holiday rush in Washington, that is is expected it will be installed in many offices throughout the country during the coming months.

READS JOB AWAY AND LOSES WIFE

Every day some new argument for a divorce crops up in the divorce courts. This week a new and unique one was contributed by Mrs. Vivian Wincel. "My husband", she asserted, "reads so many magazines at night that he cannot get up in the morning to go to work. As a result, he has lost job after job." The judge thought the reason sufficient to grant her a decree.

"Pink tooth brush" trouble, or bleeding gums, may be caused by a lack of vitamin C in the diet.

ASK The Scientist

If you have a question to ask the scientists, mail it to the New York Press Association, The Castle, Syracuse, N. Y. The Science Board of the Radio Workshop at Syracuse University will answer each week in this paper those questions considered most interesting and timely.

QUESTION. To what extent does our present and prospective armament program mean in the increased use of forest products?

ANSWER. The government already has purchased 6,000,000 board feet of lumber. This is sufficient to build 40,000 average sized one-family frame houses. It is estimated that between 2,000,000,00 and 3,000,000,000 board feet of lumber will be required for the next three years if present trends continue. Some army camps have under construction as many as 800 barracks, each sufficiently large to house 200 men.

While this amount seems large, it will make only a small dent in our forests. There are 500,000,000 acres of forest in this country and if properly cared for, cut properly, and protected from fire, that is capable of producing all of these special defense requirements and all of our usual domestic requirements.—Prof. Nelson Brown, forester.

QUESTION. From a chemical point of view can our plants produce the explosives that are required in our present armament program?

ANSWER. I believe they can. We are planning to produce about two billion pounds of explosives in the near future. That amounts to between 10 and 15 pounds for every man and woman in the United States. We took over a lot of German chemical plants as a result of the last world war which make it possible for us to produce more now. —Dr. Albert Elder, chemist.

QUESTION. Will the work that the Byrd expedition is doing at the south pole help much in weather forecasting?

Answer. Perhaps it will in the southern hemisphere. But weather conditions in the southern hemisphere do not affect those in the northern hemisphere so far as we know at present. The same general principles apply, however, and if the scientists of the Byrd expedition work out some of those principles, perhaps we can apply them here. The northern hemisphere is much more important to us than anything they could find in the southern hemisphere.—Dr. Earl Apfel, geologist.

QUESTION. Why does sound carry better over water than over land?

ANSWER. On some days you can hear a distant train whistle. On other days you cannot. A sound carries better in foggy weather than in clear on some days. The explanation of these observations is that as long as the atmosphere is homogeneous its precise constitution has very little influence on its transparency to sound.

By a homogeneous atmosphere we mean one in which the velocity of sound is constant throughout the region. It is known that the velocity of sound varies with temperature, with humidity and with air currents. Hence, if the region between the source of sound and the observer is of constant temperature, constant humidity, and if little or no air currents are present, the sound will carry very well.

But if the region between the source of sound and the observer has varying temperatures, varying humidity, and air currents are present, the sound waves will be scattered and dispersed much as light is scattered and dispersed in passing through smoke. The water has nothing to do with better reception of sounds traveling over it, but the conditions above the water are more uniform than over the land.—Dr. William R. Fredrickson, physicist.

QUESTION. If my wife has curly hair and I have straight hair what sort of hair may I expect my children to have?

ANSWER. The children will tend toward curly hair. But you won't have straight hair. The white race cannot have really straight hair; there is always a tendency toward curly or wavy hair.

The yellow race, the Indians, and such people have straight hair and their hair is cylindrical. Negroes have kinky, elliptically shaped hair. The white race has curly hair which is ovoid in shape. From the point of view of inheritance, curly hair is dominant over straight hair. —Dr. Ernest Reed, geneticist.

QUESTION. What is the depths of the Finger Lakes of New York?

ANSWER. The largest finger lakes are the deepest. Seneca is 618 feet deep which makes the bottom 174 feet below sea level as the surface of the lake is 444 feet in altitude. Cayuga has a depth of 435 feet which brings its bottom 54 feet below sea level.

The bottom of no other lake closely approaches sea level. Depths of the other principal lakes are: Skaneateles, 297 feet, Owasco 177 feet, Otisco 66 feet, Keuka 183 feet, Hemlock 90 feet, Conesus 59 feet, Canandaigua 274 feet and Canadice 88 feet.—Dr. Apfel.

TAX FAX
Of New York State
L. Richard Guylay

Forty-two per cent of the revenues of all governmental units in 1939 were collected from taxes which didn't even exist 40 years ago, according to the Citizens Public Expenditure Survey.

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Gross governmental debt of the United States in 1940 exceeded the accumulated liquid savings of all individuals in the country.

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While per capita tax collections for the Federal government mounted from $28.17 in 1930 to $41.26 in 1939, state government tax collections were not far behind. From $14.46 in 1930, they rose to $29.43 in 1939.

State and local government next year may cost more than twice the amount spent on national defense—despite extraordinary emergency defense appropriations.

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Not until after they had hired a hostler to tend the police department's horses, did officials in a downstate city realize there were no horses in the department. They called the hostler a janitor and kept him on the payroll.

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Welfare expenditures for New York State next year are expected to decline between $6,000,000 and $7,000,000.

STOP ME IF THIS ONE— YOU'VE HEARD

Tact

Judge O'Flaherty: "Haven't you been before me before?"

Prisoner: "No, yer honor. Oi never saw but one face that looked loike yours and that was a photograf of an Irish king".

Judge O'Flaherty: "Discharged! Call the next case!"

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Sew-Sew

A little boy in an American school refused to sew, thinking it beneath the dignity of a ten-year-old.

"George Washington sewed", said the principal, "and do you consider yourself better than George Washington?"

"I don't know; time will tell", said the boy seriously.

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Malpractice

An invitation to dinner had been sent to the newly-settled physician. In reply the hostess received an absolutely illegible letter.

"I must know if he accepts or refuses", she declared.

"If I were you", suggested her husband, "I should take it to the druggist. Druggist can always read doctor's letters, however badly they are written."

His wife followed his advice. The druggist looked at the slip of notepaper, went into his dispensary and returned a few minutes later with a bottle, which he handed over the counter.

"There you are, madam", he said. "That will be seventy-five cents".

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"How do you keep those thin dogs from crawling through the knot-holes in the pen, Uncle Si?"

"I tie knots in their tails".

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B.N.D. (Before New Deal

Doctor (having painted the patient's neck for sore throat)—"Three dollars, please".

Patiently (indignantly) — "Three dollars! Why last week I had my kitchen painted for two-fifty!"

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Called

In a country newspaper appeared the following advertisement: "The man who picked up my wallet in Fore street was recognized. He is requested to return it" The next day this reply was published: "The recognized man who picked up your wallet requests the loser to call at any time and collect it."

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No Encore

Old-Timer: "Is your married life one grand sweet song?"

Newlywed: "Well since our baby's been born it's been more like an opera. Full of grand marches, with loud calls for the author every night".

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It Makes You Wonder

Six-year-old Mary woke up about two in the morning. "Tell me a story, mama", she pleaded.

"Hush, darling" said mother. "Daddy will be in soon and tell us both one".

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Sophistication

A modern girl is one who can meet the wolf at the door and come out with a fur coat.

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Big Respiratory "If"

(Apologies to Kipling)

If you can keep quite well when some about you
Have colds—and pass the germs along to you,
If you can breathe quite freely when—no doubt—you
Are more or less on speaking terms with flu,
If you can fill your lungs with air each minute
And never sneeze—where sneezing's being done,
Your luck is wonderful — there's charmed life in it!—
But better start to knock on wood, my son!

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No Thought of Self-Preservation

Oddly enough, you may find a pickled driver in an old crock.

Advertiser Records 174 Deaths in Addison and Vicinity During 1940

The grim reaper known as death secured a rich harvest in Addison and vicinity during the past year for many more than in 1939 were called to their eternal reward by their Maker. Not all the death notices published in the Advertiser-Sentinel were of Addison and vicinity folks, for some were those of people in far places, who formerly lived in this vicinity or had close relatives here.

There were 174 deaths recorded in the columns of this paper during the past year with 69 being in Addison, 70 in vicinity communities and 35 outside the paper's immediate vicinity but of interest to people here.

Contrary to usual years, June led in number with 22. Other months during 1940 were as follows: January, 19, February, 21; March, 11; April, 14; May, 10; July, 16; August, 10; September, 13; October, 11; November, 15 and December, 14. The high rate during fair months may be attributed to accidents and violent deaths.

The date before the recorded deaths here are those of the publication in which the notice appeared, not of the date of death.

Those recorded are as follows:

Jan. 4—Asa T. Smith, Woodhull.

Jan. 11— Mrs. Lynn A. Taylor; Fred G. Clark; Mrs. Kate Hoffman.

Jan. 18—Miss Bertha Curtis, California; Mrs. Mary Daniels, Troupsburg; Arlene Frances Stephenson, N. Jasper; Jerome W. Eighmey; Richard Tobin, Pittsburgh; Mrs. Harold Wright, Hornell; Mrs. James Mitchell Gregg, Utica.

Jan. 25—Mrs. E. D. Washburn Chapman, N. Cohocton; Robert R. Stevens, Lindley; Lawrence Delos Sutton, Cameron Mills; Archibald Wilson; Mrs. George W. Wright; The Rev. John Blanchet in Florida; Mrs. Minnie King; Mrs. Mary O'Brien, Elmira.

Feb. 1—Burt F. Smith, Jasper; Mrs. Eliza Smith, Severance Dist.; Mrs. Penelope Ferguson, Cameron Mills.

Feb. 8—Elisha Putnam, Freeman; John Wilson, Hedgesville; Hugh McDevitt.

Feb. 15—Hutcheson Van Hausen; George H. Campbell, Jr.; J. A. Brooks, in Sioux City; Mrs. Robert Shelanskey.

Feb. 22—Mrs. Jesse Cole, Rathbone; Mrs. Martha Hargrave, Woodhull; Mrs. Malvina Stuart, Cameron; George Wilson, Coopers Plains; Mrs. Herman Clark, Tuscarora; Mrs. Frances Hart; Mrs. Arthur Newsom.

Feb. 29 — Mrs. Margaret Hallett, Cameron; Mrs. Annette Sarles, Woodhull; Mrs. Charles B. Stewart; Mrs. Sam Chatfield.

Mar. 7 — Augustus M. Aldrich; David Thompson; Katherine H. Erwin.

Mar. 14—Mrs. Lavina Colvin, Mrs. Lunette Dennis, Jasper; Dorothy Jean House, Risingville; Mrs. Thomas Kelly; V. A. Manley; Mrs. Mary LeMunyan.

Mar. 28—Mrs. Carrie Bruen, Jasper; Mrs. Sidney MacDowell.

Apr. 4 — Charles Annabel, the Gulf; Mrs. Walter Wixson, R. D. 3; Edward Van Cise.

Apr. 11—William Simons; Rev. W. A. Billings, former pastor.

Apr. 18—Mrs. Jennie L. Hurd, Woodhull; Mrs. Ida Dennis, Woodhull; Mrs. Estella Bottom, Tuscarora; Mrs. Jennie Albright, Woodhull; Mrs. Charles Lyman.

Apr. 25—John W. Hopper; Mrs. A. W. Hutchinson, Jasper; Mrs. Charles Bottom; Mrs. Anna Roberts.

Woodhull; Mrs. Stella Bancroft.

May 2 — William S. Colegrove, Cameron.

May 9 — Mrs O. P. Howe, The Branch; Mrs. Walter P. Smith, Geneva.

May 16— Mrs. Michael Pieztrak, French Hill.

May 23—Otis Baxter, Salt Lake City; Fred Albee, Penn Yan; Mrs. Edwin Willard in California; Mrs. George Lewis, Cameron Mills.

May 30—Menzo Husted, Woodhull.

June 6 — Mrs. Peter Stewart, Woodhull; George H. Newland, Borden; Maurice Minckler, Newburgh; Henry Roach, Bradford; G. Frank Carpenter; Craig Horey, Ryndhurst, N. J.

June 13—Mrs. Maude E. Smith; Clare Williams; Silas Johnston, Ulysses; Mrs. Mary Wheeler, Woodhull; Henry Wilbur, Risingville; Miss Fannie E. Curtis.

June 20—Frank J. Sullivan; James Goodwin, Jasper; James Coon; Cornelius Roach; Mrs. Edward Sollinger; Cornelius Brady, Little Rock; George Riddlesdin; Dr. Henry O. Carrington, New York.

June 27—Claude Wilcox; Samuel Walker, Bath.

July 4—Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin R. Gay, Avoca; Reed Brugger, Pulteney Hill; the Rev. E. D. Chapman, Cohocton; Gerald Aldrich.

July 11— Oscar Maynard; S. C. Erwin; Charles Cook.

July 18—Beatrice Lyons, Andrew Bailey, Robert L. Levi, Robert Lowry, Manchester.

July 25 — Gerald Hallett, Woodhull; Franklyn Morseman; Mrs. Cornelius Roach; James Heffernan, Elmira.

Aug. 1—Mrs. Lizzie Allen, Woodhull; Ray Van Orman, Jasper; William Brundage, Bath.

Aug. 8—Elmer Gould, Woodhull; William Sackett, Rathbone; Mrs. George Demorest; Linda Dennis, Geneva.

Aug. 15—Mrs. George White, Burdette.

Aug. 29—Mrs. Robert Jessup, Risingville; Mrs. Merritt Baker.

Sept. 5—Bert Sanford, Corning.

Sept. 12—Wirt D. Young; Mrs. Helen McFall, Jasper; Mrs. Elizabeth Miles, Jasper; Archie Cross, Risingville.

Sept. 19 — Arthur L. Thompson, Cameron Mills; W. Fletcher Hayes; Henry Heine, Elmira; Stanley Ward.

Sept. 26—Mrs. Ida Selleck, Jasper; T. Albeus Adams, New York; Mrs. Frank Smyth; Mrs. James Martin.

Aug. 3—Mrs. Amy Rumsey Meads' Creek; William B. Smith, Ovid.

Oct. 10—Mrs. Ben Phillips; Mrs. Sarah Schoonover, Woodhull; Mrs. Sarah D. Lanning; Mrs. Mildred Holt Herrington, Borden.

Oct. 17—Marion Mattison, Harford.

Oct. 24—Jesse Brennan; Levi Moshier; Margaret Ginnane, Buffalo; Lawrence Johnson, Hornell.

Oct. 31 — Dennis Gary Crane; Marion Crans, Woodhull.

Nov. 7—Mrs. Frank Connor; Mrs. Jennie House, Hornell.

Nov. 14 — Mrs. Emily Stillman, Ulysses; Mrs. Ida Considine.

Nov. 21 — Mrs. Rodney Miller; Mrs. Joseph Welch, Rochester; James George; Henry Cummings, Woods Corners.

Nov. 28—Lula Hower; Ellen Waddell, Rathbone; Jesse Burns; Mary Hickey; Donna M. Riley.

Dec. 5—Mrs. Benjamin Thompson.

Dec. 12—Mrs. Lee Manley; Guy W. Seamans.

Dec. 19—Mrs. John Brink; Ralph Rigby, Troupsburg; Joseph Strait, Jasper; Mrs. Charles Tague, Okla.; William Hanshaw, Almond; Adelbert Feenaughty, Canisteo.

Dec. 26 — James Ginnane, Portland, Ore.

Addison Has Decrease in 1940 Births

The birthrate for Addison showed a decrease during the past year over the year before and did not keep pace with the death rate as there were nearly three times the deaths recorded as births, this in spite of the census report which shows an increase for Addison over the last census. However, most of the births were recorded after the census had been taken in April. The population of Addison was kept high by virtue of several families moving here from outside during the year 1940.

There were four more boys than girls born in the community, five more boys than girls in the surrounding towns and an equal number of babies born to parents of local birth or of interest to local people. There were 70 births recorded in the columns of the Advertiser-Sentinel during the year just closed.

April led the parade of months with 17 babies being born in the vicinity: Other months and their number were: January, 5; February, 10; March, 11; May, 6; June, 7; July, 7; August, 7; September, 3; October, 2; November, 3; December, 5.

In some cases the births are recorded by name and in other instances just the parents where the baby's name was not given in the original news notices in these columns.

The babies born and their parents are as follows:

Jan. 4 — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stanford, Tracy Creek, a daughter.

Jan. 18—Jerome J. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Smith.

Jan. 25—Mr. and Mrs. Jennings Sawyer, Troupsburg, a son; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dickson, Risingville, a son; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hopper, Painted Post.

Feb. 1—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Phillips, Corning, daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Thomas, a daughter.

Feb. 8—Mr. and Mrs. Lester Perkins, a son, Gary; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Willis, son Richard; Mr. and Mrs. George Little, son Ronald.

Feb. 15—Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Orr, a daughter.

Feb. 22—Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Miller, daughter, Norma; Mr. and Mrs. John Bruce, son, Phillip.

Feb. 29 — Mr. and Mrs. Emil Oakey, daughter; Mr. and Mrs. LaPiana, Hornell, daughter.

Mar. 7—Edwin Howard, to Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Chatfield.

Feb. 14—William Frank, to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Allen, Jasper: Helen Elizabeth, to Mr. and Mrs. William Welch, Jasper; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lewis, Thornbottom, a son; Mr. and Mrs. Leland Smith, Tuscarora, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Foland, a son.

Mar. 21—Donna May Warner, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Warner, Woodhull; John Miller to Mr. and Mrs. William J. Miller.

Mar. 28—Brenda D., to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Goodall, Woodhull; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith, a son; David, to Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Johns.

April 4—Elizabeth I. to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hallett, Woodhull; Ann E. to Mr. and Mrs. Willard Lewis; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Frazier, a son in Arkansas.

April 18—Sylvia, to Mr. and Mrs. Oren Fero; Gary to Mr. and Mrs. John Anglehart, R. D.; Betty, to Mr. and Mrs. LaVern Carson, R. D.; Beulah to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ball, R. D.; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cook, Elkland, a daughter; David to Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Prutzman, Thornbottom.

April 25—Wilhelmina, to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Smith, Bath; Judith, to Mr. and Mrs. John Wickering; Mr. and Mrs. Francis Kane, son; Norma, to Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Reitz, Oakfield; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barden, a son; Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yeatts, son, in Maryland.

May 2—Mr. and Mrs. Arlington Smith, son in Elsmere.

May 7—Mr. and Mrs. William Lamb, Van Vleets, a son.

May 16—Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Swarthout, a daughter; Dale to Mr. and Mrs. Walter McMindes, Woodhull.

May 23—Della Ann to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Campbell; Mr. and Mrs. David Neally, R. D., a daughter.

June 6 — Lt. and Mrs. Charles Robertson, Honolulu, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hurd, a daughter.

June 13—Mr. and Mrs. George Gardner, the Branch, a son; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McCaig, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Wood, Rathbone, a son.

June 27 — Mr. and Mrs. Elgie Woods, Lockport, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. John Miner, Kenmore, a son.

July 4 — Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ferguson, Cameron Mills, son; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mitchell, son; Gerald to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jimerson, Cameron Mills.

July 18—Attorney and Mrs. Hugh Varn, son; Ruth A. to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Georgia.

July 25—Dolores, to Mr. and Mrs. John Gangeme.

Aug. 1—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rex, Wellsboro, son; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McKay, Los Angeles, a son.

Aug. 3—Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Easton, a son.

Aug. 15—Beatrice, to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Allen, Woodhull.

Aug. 22—Stanley, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gardner, Van Vleets; Jacquelyn to Mr. and Mrs. Franklyn Ripley.

Sept. 19 — Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Mathers, Van Vleets, a daughter.

Sept. 26—Duranda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Gee, Freeman; Patricia to Mr. and Mrs. Allen Leary, Rochester.

Oct. 3—Connie to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Olin, Woodhull.

Oct. 31 — Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swartz, daughter.

Nov. 7—Yvonne, to Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Hallett, Woodhull; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brown, daughter.

Nov. 14—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hanshaw, a son, Risingville.

Dec. 19—Sylvia, to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Strait.

THE POCKETBOOK of KNOWLEDGE
BY TOPPS
1927- 9¼ CENTS
TODAY- 17½ CENTS
IT IS ESTIMATED THAT TAXES ON LIGHT AND POWER COMPANIES HAVE RISEN FROM 9½ CENTS IN 1927 ON EACH DOLLAR REVENUE TO 17½ CENTS TODAY
5,000,000
PRODUCTION
TWICE IN RECENT TIMES, ANNUAL PRODUCTION OF AUTOMOBILES IN THE U.S. HAS EXCEEDED 5 MILLION CARS — MORE THAN WERE PRODUCED IN ALL THE YEARS BEFORE 1916
MODERN ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT IS 25 MILLION TIMES MORE EFFICIENT THAN THE FIREFLY IN ITS METHOD OF PRODUCING LIGHT
BUTTER WAS USED AS A COSMETIC BY WOMEN OF ANCIENT ROME
UNDERGROUND CITY— FRENCH MUSHROOM GROWERS WHO GROW THEIR CROPS UNDER THE CITY OF PARIS, LIVE IN A SUBTERRANEAN CITY OF THEIR OWN THAT HAS A VENTILATING SYSTEM, STREETS, LIGHTS AND THEIR HOUSES, BESIDES VAST MUSHROOM BEDS

CAMERON MILLS

Collegians Home

Those home from college for the vacation are: Doris Dascomb, Alfred University, Helen Crawford, Alfred University, Mary Horey, Cazenovia Seminary, Edward Horey St. Bonaventure and James Crawford, Alfred University.

Miss Ruth Crawford of Union Springs spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Crawford.

John Considine spent Christmas vacation in Hornell.

George Lewis was in Bath Friday.

Mrs. Clinton Emhizer and daughters Dorothy and Barbara spent the week-end with Alery Richtmyre.

Edward Horey and James Crawford were in Addison Friday evening.

Miss Charlotte Morton spent Christmas in Hornell.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kibbee were in Gillett, Pa., Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. FlQoyd Reynolds and children were in Bath Friday

Miss Mae Smith of Hornell spent Christmas Day with Alery Richtmyre.

J. A. Horey and children were in Addison Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wormley and daughter Doris and Evelyn Reynolds were in Addison Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kibbee and son James drove to Hornell Friday evening where they left James to spend the rest of his vacation.

Gerald Oakden and Mike Triches were in Cameron Mills Sunday.

Herman Kuhn of Elmira was in town Sunday.

Nichols Caparulo of Hornell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Caparulo.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cornish and son Donald of Cleveland, Ohio spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wormley.

Grace Jackson of Binghamton spent part of her vacation with Doris Wormley.

Ruth Morse was also here for her vacation.

Mrs. Blanche Reynolds of Sanataria Springs is spending her vacation with her son Floyd Reynolds.

Shannon Bovee was in town Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Fred Wormley and daughter Doris and Grace Jackson were in Addison Saturday evening.

August Tops June Marriages

August topped June in weddings printed in the Advertiser-Sentinel during the year 1940 according to a resume of marriage notices. This shows there were 13 weddings printed in the Advertiser during the month of August and 12 in the month of June.

All the weddings printed were not of Addison people, but of Addison and vicinity and a few of interest to Addison people which were performed in communities outside the Advertiser-Sentinel parish. There were 73 weddings recorded in the columns of this paper during the year 1940.

By months the weddings recorded were: January, 3; February, 3; March, 6; April, 3; May, 5; June, 12; July, 9; August 13; September, 8; October, 3; November, 5 and December 3. There were 38 in Addison, 31 in vicinity towns and 5 outside our parish but of interest to people here.

The dates appearing before the weddings are the dates printed in the paper not the date of the actual wedding.

This list of marriages published is as follows:

Jan. 4—Charles D. Henderson and Carolyn Brown.

Jan. 18—Alfred A. Cook and Mrs. Florence W. Sherwood.

Feb. 1—George Root and Gertrude Allen.

Feb. 22 — Oliver Lee and Julia Peters, Woodhull.

Feb. 29—Gordon Rice and Esther Baker, Woodhull.

Mar. 7 — Carleton Simons and Marian Cole, Rathbone; Flagler Cornwell and Betty Lowe; Paul Knowles and Ruth Merrill.

Mar. 21 — Rowland Fenton and Mary Magoon; Albert Maier and Anna Giantomasi.

Mar. 28—George Willis and Irene Baker, Woodhull.

Apr. 4—John Parker and Eleanor Clinton, the Gulf.

Apr. 11—Lyle Mather and Frances Rogers.

April 18—Gerald Easton and Shirley O'Brien.

May 2—Forrest Rouse and Eleanor Sly; Nelson Wright and Anna Wright.

May 9—Harold Knowles and Henrietta Smith.

May 16—Bernard Hurd and Lena Vine; Graham Kohler and Beatrice Hurd, Nelson.

May 23 — Bernard Lunger and Marian Buck, Risingville.

June 6—Hugh Hackett and Maxine Teeter, Corning; Charles Kelley and Florence Clark, Rexville; Edward Davis and Ila Card, Woodhull; Carl Miller and Stella Thomas, Tuscarora; Rudolph Steeger and Beatrice Martin.

June 13—Raymond Duke and Vera Hargrave, Woodhull; Ira Stone and Genevieve Dominick.

June 20—Loren Curtis Aldrich and Marjorie Kellogg.

June 27— Wayne Carpenter and Marian Sherwood, Corning, R. D.; Kenneth Ripley and Ruth Seaman; Floyd Rose and Florence Wandell, Corning, R. D.; Homer Fritz and Alice Carrill.

July 11—Walter Smith and Evelyn Kilbourne, Westfield; Hugh Pierce and Kathleen Braund, Woodhull; Wendell Smith and Christine Orr; Harold Tucker and Martha Merrill; Fred Clinton and Gladys Punches, the Gulf.

July 18—Otto White and Florence O'Konskey, Cameron; Gerald Case and Adelaide Leavenworth; Francis M. Reagan and Geraldine Gardner, Rathbone.

July 25—The Rev. Robert Crosby and Norva Bassage.

Aug. 1 — John Taft and Isabel Chart; Lawrence Jackson and Marian Hill.

Aug. 8—Ray Case and Helen Towner; Clyde Felix and Doris Henry, Williamsport; Kenneth Dann and Eloise Brown.

Aug. 15 — Adolph Jensen and Blanche Garner, Van Vleets; James Walker and Dorothy Myres.

Aug. 29 — Grover Kenyon and Jane Kirk, Woodhull; Alfred Dyer and Katherine Ellsworth, Woodhull; Frank Youmans and Kay Losinger; Linsford Calkins and Edith Gould, Borden; Calvin Hall and Arlene Aldrich.

Sept. 5 — Clifford Hunter and Shirley Perry, Woodhull; Edwin Chart and Beatrice Spencer; Oakley Pierson and Anne Reese.

Sept. 12 — Lorraine Heeter and Priscilla Wilson; George Griff and Lois McKay, Elmira.

Sept. 19—Jesse Decker and Lenora Young; Clark Thurston and Mary Sureno; Frederick Hartley and Mildred Holt, Woodhull.

Oct. 10 — Jack Cornish and Blanche Damon; Ralph H. Wade and Beatrice Smith.

Oct. 17 — Donald Hadlock and Helen Smith.

Oct. 24 — Seward Heckman and Winifred Munson, Troupsburg.

Oct. 31—Clifford Crane and Lucy Scanlon.

Nov. 7—Bruce Walton and Jean Manson, in June.

Nov. 28—Milton Wilhelm and Esther Larkin, N. Jasper; Harold Langendorfer and Eva Ogden; Adrian Post and Eleanor Roche, Corning; Henry Welty and Gladys Van Zile, Cameron Mills.

Dec. 5—Robert Hallett and Beverly Phillips.

Dec. 12—Cleon McLaughlin and Mary Nobles.

Dec. 19—Fred Tompkins and Ruth Kuhn, Tuscarora.

Oldest Farm Group Meets January 22

Albany, Dec. — Discussion of present farm problems at the 109th annual meeting of the New York State Agricultural Society in Albany on January 22, will be led by a farmer, a farm organization leader, a welfare leader, a manufacturer, an educator and an editor, according to Halsey B. Knapp, Farmingdale, President of the Society. Governor Herbert H. Lehman and Howard E. Babcock, Director of the Grange League Federation School of Administration and President of the Board of Trustees of Cornell University, speak at the annual farm dinner at the Ten Eyck Hotel.

"Is the Trend of Price Cutting Competition Among Corporate Chain Stores Going to Lead to Price Assassination of Farm Produce and Peasantry for American Farmers, "will be discussed by F. W. Beneway of Ontario. M. V. Atwood, Rochester, Associate Editor of the Gannett newspapers, tells of the "Daily Press and Agriculture." Fred Sexauer, Auburn, as Chairman of the New York State Conference Board of Farm Organizations, explains the "Policies and Program for New York State Agriculture." Dr. C. E. Baker, of the Division of Farm Population and Social Welfare of the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., tells of "Trends and Tendencies Related to Our Farm Population." H. L. Bodman, New York City, tells "Why and How the National Association of Manufacturers is Interested in Agriculture." Dr. A. R. Mann, former Dean of the New York State College of Agriculture and now Vice-President of the General Education Board and Director for Southern Education, discusses "Trends Toward a More Useful Rural Education."

Citations to Century Farmers—owners of farms which have been operated continuously by the same family for more than 100 years—will be made at the farm dinner. The citations will be prepared by Jared Van Wagenen, Jr., of Lawyersville.

Memory Book to Judge Brown is Gift of Friends

Bath, Dec. 31 — One of the surprise features of the banquet tendered Judge Edwin S. Brown here Monday night was the presentation of a book, "Memories", containing letters from Steuben County's leading public officials, lawyers, civic leaders, publishers and other friends of the veteran jurist. The letters, written on vellum bond and edged with a band of gold in recognition of Judge Brown's half century of public service, almost without exception urged the jurist to give himself more freely to public life on his retirement from the bench.

Scattered throughout the book, which had the judge's name and date of presentation stamped in gold on the cover, were pictures of the recipient, some of them published years ago. The preparation of the book was suggested and directed by District Attorney George A. King, who will succeed Judge Brown on Jan. 1, and the work of securing the letters was accomplished by Attorney Lyle W. Jackson of Hornell. It was first intended to confine the letters to members of the Steuben County Bar Association, of which Mr. Jackson is an officer, but so many requests were made for the opportunity to write a tribute that it was decided to open the book to the public.

The letters and pictures are held in loose leaf form so that those sending letters after the presentation may have them included in the book. Some of the letters, written in long hand by veteran lawyers, discuss amusing incidents in the political life of the judge, particularly when he was a condidate for district attorney.

Among those who contibuted letters were: William W. Clark, retired Supreme Court justice; John Charles Wheeler, justice of the Supreme Court; Ernest E. Cole, New York State Commissioner of Education; Judge elect King; Congressman W. Sterling Cole; Floyd W. Annabel; Jesse S. Phillips, Mayor Daniel Stimson of Corning, P. G. Schumacher, president of Steuben Area Council, Inc., Boy Scouts of America; Police Chief, A. W. Eckess of Corning; A. D. "Brin" Randall, court crier and Judge Brown's personal aide; Floyd E. Whiteman, Elizabeth E. Scoville, Charles H. Githler.

Justin V. Purcell, Sherman B. Shults, Edwin J. Carpenter, C. Everett Shults, Joseph J. Nasser, Clyde E. Shults, Charles Salerno, Morris H. Barash, L. G. Whiteman, Harley A. Lanning, Howard J. Walker, Police Chief Archie S. Crozier of Hornell, Charles L. Crane, County Treasurer, Clara L. Smith, James McCall, Mary Karr Jackson, Lyman C. Shults, Robert E. Cole, Wilbur F. Knapp, E. Ray Hardenbrook, commissioner of welfare.

Louis G. Buisch, W. Allen Underhill, Frank Gannett, Joseph C. Latham, Sr., Vincent L. Tripp, Edith L. Strobel, Joseph E. Hayes, H. O. Elkins, A. James Hall, Maurice E. Miller, J. E Barber, County Clerk R B. Oldfield, Dale Baker, F. W. Parkhurst, Alton J. Wightman, Domenick L. Gabrielli, Frank L. King, W. Earle Costello, Charles E. McManus.

City Judge Holland B. Williams of Corning, City Attorney Clarence H. Brisco of Corning, Albert W. Robbins, City Judge James G. Austin of Hornell; Acton M. Hill, G. Orcutt Brown, Francis M. Cameron, Harold F. Lieb, Lewis J. Simpson, Harry K. Morton, Harry L. Allen, Vedo M. Candiello.

FRENCH HILL

Earl Townsend was a Christmas dinner guest of his cousin Walter Townsend and wife of Bath.

Tona Yarka of Ohio is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Yarka.

Elizabeth Gosper of Bath spent her vacation with her parents, Mr and Mrs. Clinton Gosper.

Thurza Crane and son Carl and Clara Gosper attended the Christmas tree party at West Cameron Monday evening.

Mary Clement called on Mrs. Frank Crandall Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clinton entertained Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clinton and her father, Mr. Punches Christmas day.

Major Events of 1940 in This Vicinity Reviewed for Readers

Some of the major events which were recorded in the Advertiser-Sentinel during the past year were not earth-shaking nor of tremendous importance to people outside our immediate area. This is a weekly paper serving a country and rural population and hence the news events recorded were of interest to them such as floods and snowstorms in the vicinity, the erection of a new bridge on Main street in Addison, and doings of local and vicinity people.

Some of those events which we believe are outstanding in the Advertiser-Sentinel parish are:

Jan. 1—Townsend Club New Year frolic.

Jan. 11 — Leland Little chosen Game Club president.

Jan. 25—Finnish drive closes with Finns entertaining here.

Feb. 1—Erwin Brown home burned to ground, Troupsburg; Plow Handle factory has 400,000-piece order; Canisteo ice 16 to 20 inches thick.

Feb. 8—Knights win "B" League basketball championship.

Feb. 15—Dr. Edith Vogl, Czechoslovakia, speaks to Civic Society; Tracy Creek homes robbed; Snowfall exceeds 12-year record.

Feb. 29 — Madeline Short Alfred Beauty Queen.

Mar. 7 — Simons Hill—Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Mattison, golden wedding; Welles Hose "Hillbilly Wedding".

Mar. 21—Mary Horey and Charles Whitmore scholastic leaders in Senior Class.

April 8—Floods menace village.

May 16 — Eleanor Hogue chosen Nazareth College Queen; AHS Orchestra to national competitions.

May 23—County American Legion parade and convention here.

May 30 — Gas well produces for Pep-O Bakery.

June 13—The Rev. Patrick Kelly observes Silver Jubilee; Cloudburst on Addison Hill does great damage.

June 27—Dr. Ernest Cole becomes State Commissioner of Education.

July 4— Franklyn Ripley Alumni president; Niles Miller golden wedding, Woodhull; Contract to Foley Construction Co. for new Main street bridge.

July 11—Census shows 1604 for Addison; Phoenix Hose carnival.

Aug. 8—U. S. Senator Mead speaks at St. Catherine's Old Home Day.

Aug. 15 — Stacy Newman leases Avon Theatre.

here; Advertiser Cooking School;

Aug. 29—Olde Tymers play ball The Rev. Russell Kirsch resigns at Church of Redeemer.

Sept. 19 — Construction of new Main street bridge under way.

Oct. 10—Farmers Union threaten strike unless producer-price up.

Oct. 31 — First peace-time draft members drawn.

Nov. 7 — President F. D. Roosevelt re-elected for third term, breaks 150-year-old tradition; Pomona Grange here.

Nov. 28—Five draftees leave Addison.

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7:15 A. M.	8:00 A. M.
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Social and Personal
Events of the Week in ADDISON

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pennimon of Fulton visited Mr. and Mrs. William Cisco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Francis Cisco Sunday on the Clendenna.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Turner entertained the following Christmas Day: Mr. and Mrs. LeGrand McCarthy and two children of Arkport, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Failing and sons of Ithaca, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Davern of Hornell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Dickey and daughter spent the Christmas vacation visiting relatives in Webster.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mack of Hornell spent Christmas with relatives here.

Mary Elizabeth Neary, a student nurse at Buffalo, spent Christmas with her aunts, the Misses Elizabeth and Dolores Horey of Maple street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Depew of Painted Post visited friends in town Sunday.

Mrs. Howard Strait is recovering from at attack of grippe.

Misses Elizabeth and Dolores Horey visited relatives in Cameron Mills Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hopper, have returned after spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Wood of Nyack, N. Y.

Mrs. Margaret Reagan and daughter Alice of Corning spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. John Hickey.

M. E. Finnegan and Mrs. John Hickey visited friends in Bath on Tuesday.

Mrs. John Durkin has returned from a visit in Buffalo.

Dr. and Mrs. John Abbott of Pulaski spent Christmas with Mrs. Abbott's mother, Mrs. Frank Carpenter of Maple street.

Mrs. Lois Brown of Kew Gardens is a guest of her mother, Mrs. Frank Carpenter.

The following from the Clendenna spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. William Cisco on Front street: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cisco and daughter Laura Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. John Cisco and children Billy and Alfred, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Cisco and children Lloyd, Allan and Raymond.

Frank McTamney of Montrose spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Troy.

Mr. and Mrs. William Turner of Conesus spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Troy.

Glenora Towner returned to Bridgeport Conn. with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Case to spend several days.

Mrs. Helen Yonck has returned home after spending a few days at Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Minnie Cronk.

William Kittel has been driving the Corning bus since Gus Vona has been confined in Bath Hospital as the result of an appendectomy.

Miss Janet Taylor, student in Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio, is spending the vacation recess at the home of her father, Lynn Taylor Front Street.

The Rev. and Mrs. M. C. Johns and son, David spent Christmas Day with friends in Westfield.

E. T. Horey of Hornell visited relatives in Addison Christmas Day.

The Rev. and Mrs. Nicholas Van Cossaboon were in Lockport and Buffalo for the holidays.

Miss Genevieve Hoaglin of Randolph has been a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hoaglin.

Miss Betty Jean Hickey, member of the faculty of Downsville High School, is spending the Christmas holidays at her home here.

Dr. H. E. Auringer has been in New York on a business trip.

Dr. Amos G. Stiker was at Fort Niagra, Buffalo, during the past week on official Army business.

Dr. Striker is a Caption in the National Guard unit in Corning.

The Rev. and Mrs. George N. Arnold, Tuscarora Street entertained Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Taylor and sons, Arnold and Robert of Waverly and Mr. and Mrs. Park Holden and son, James, Star Route for Christmas dinner.

Sergt. C. D. Dodson, Fort Belvoir, Va., was the weekend guest of Miss Jean Ripley, Steuben street.

Miss Rena Storpe, Towanda, Pa., has been spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. John Wickering, Front street. She is a sister of Mrs. Wickering's.

Trooper Lynn Wheeler is spending a few days visiting his sister, Mrs. Marry Mullen, Steuben street.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Shoemaker and little daughter of Alexandria, Va., called on Mrs. Eva Battin and other friends Sunday. Mrs. Shoemaker will be remembered as the former Miss Ruth Stevens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stevens, former residents of Addison.

Howard Strait, who was under observation at Robert Packer Hospital, Sayre, the latter part of last week, returned to his home Saturday in an improved condition.

Mr. and Mrs. George Freeman are in Rochester for a few bdays.

Mr. and Mrs. George Duckman and daughter Susan of Steuben street have been visiting her people in Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Willard Gossner have returned to their home in Fabius after spending Christmas and the remainder of the week at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest A. Perry.

Orra L. Hurd is confined to his bed at his home near Van Vleets by a serious knee injury suffered in a fall at his home about four weeks ago.

Mrs. Nettie Rowley of Elmira has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Hannahs for several days. Her cousin, Mrs. Bacheldar of Elmira was also a guest at the Hannahs home Tuesday.

COMMUNICATION

Addison, N. Y., Dec. 30, 1940

Say did you ever have a surprise. I had one Saturday morning, December 28 when the mail man came fumbling at the door but the letter-slot wouldn't take the birthday greetings that he bore so we opened wide the door and he threw the bundle on the floor and returned to his course once more smiling as before and to all a happy New Years and best wishes to you all for the beautiful birthday greetings sent me, and as a boy of eighty-six I joyfully received them all.

Clark Baxter

The Jewish Festival of Chanukah this year fell on Christmas Day. Known also as the Festival of Lights, it commemorates the victory of the Maccabees over the Syrians.

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RISINGVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Starr and Kenneth Starr of Bolivar were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Starr.

Mrs. Fred Filkins spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Mabel Aldrich in Bath.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Lunger and Harriet Buck of Elmira spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Buck.

John Wright was in Bath Monday.

Mrs. Guy Davis and daughter of Bath visited her mother, Mrs. Lelia Shauger during the past week.

Mrs. Guy Crane, son Lawrence of Mt. Pleasant called on Mr. and Mrs. Dan Buck recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Burns and daughters of Horseheads spent Christmas at the home of Adelbert Lewis

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Turner were in Bath one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorr Knowles and son Eugene and Winton were shopping in Bath Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tucker and family were in Bath on business recently.

Mrs. Eda Silsbee and children of Kanona called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Buck Saturday evening.

Mrs. Mabel Aldrich and daughter Susan of Bath were calling in this place Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Buck recently spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Farrand in Rathbone.

Otis Desmore and family called on friends in Bath one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jerry of Charlotte, N. C., spent the holidays with relatives here.

VAN VLEETS

Mrs. Fred Cowan has been confined to her bed for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Schneider called on her brother, Delos Garner, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Slavens were Christmas Eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Aldrich.

Mrs. Delos Garner and Mrs. Glenn Aldrich were in Addison Monday.

The family of Mrs. Mabel Aldrich spent December 22 at her home for a Christmas gathering. Presents were exchanged and candy and nuts were enjoyed.

Donald Swan, Kathryn Gee, Franklyn Hall and Carolyn Kemp were in Corning Thursday night.

Mrs. Delos Garner has been confined to her home by illness for the past few days.

Mrs. Bessie Nichols opened her school Monday following a week's Christmas vacation.

CAMERON MILLS
R. D. 1

School Party

A Christmas party was held for the pupils and residents of District No. 7, at the Saunders school house Monday evening with a musical program of the school students and exchange of presents. Dinner was served at 8 p. m. by the teacher, Mrs. Pearl Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McWilliams of Tracy Creek were callers here Friday.

Miss Arlene Saxton is spending a few days at her home here.

B. F. Coleman of Bath spent Wednesday night at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lloyd entertained a number of relatives at their home Sunday.

CAMERON

Beatrice, Jane and Marjorie Lewis were in Elmira Wednesday morning where they sang on a radio program from Station WESG.

Mrs. T. R. Stephens of North Jasper spent Friday with Mrs. Marie C. Marlatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williams have been entertaining friends from Bath.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Scutt spent Christmas with their daughter at Canisteo.

Mrs. Martha Brady is visiting her son at Hammondsport.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stuart and daughter of Hornell and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Blauer of Hammondsport were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kathryn Stuart on Wednesday.

Among those at Bath on Friday were: Mrs. Vivien Hallett, Mrs. Belden Watson, Mrs. Marie C. Marlatt, Mrs. E. A. Moore and Mrs. Isabel Ferrer.

Mrs. James S. McNett and daughter were at Bath on Saturday.

Mrs. Kathryn Stuart left Wednesday for Canisteo where she will spend the winter.

Grant Morgan has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Smith entertained the Waynes from Hornell Friday evening.

Junior Matthews of Rochester has been visiting at his home here.

Ray Silsbee has been confined to the home by illness.

Frank Nolton has been visiting relatives at Canisteo and Hornell.

Dr. James S. McNett attended a medical meeting at Hornell on Friday.

Mrs. Fanny Barrett of Bath spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Keith Morgan.

Miss Virginia Bailey of Canisteo has been visiting at her home here.

Gladstone Reports On State School Meet in Syracuse

Principal Irving R. Gladstone reported to the Board of Education members Monday night on his trip to the state convention of Academic Principals held in Syracuse. Trends of the convention and education were pointed out as advocating training for the social life, teaching the meaning and reality of Democracy and an increased health and physical education program for national defense. There is also a trend towards greater vocational training in the public schools.

Ten jackets for athletic teams will be purchased at a cost of $30.08. The purchasing committee will secure 100 report cards for use the balance of the year. Boy Scouts of Steuben Area Council were given permission to use the auditorium for a rally on the night of February 24.

A resolution introduced by Mrs. Perry and seconded by Mr. Willson authorized the borrowing of money in anticipation of taxes. This money will be used to pay current bills. A carload of coal will be purchased from the Addison Coal Company.

The members discussed a skating rink for the community and are in favor of one being built. The trustees agreed to provide the electric current for lights if the rink is constructed on school grounds. No formal action was taken relative to the rink.

Bills audited and ordered paid were: Teachers' payroll for December, $2,583.64; janitors' payroll for December $224; New York State Electric and Gas Corporation, electricity, $59.16; Addison Home Telephone Co., $4.15; Irving R. Gladstone, convention expenses and supplies, $22.70; Mrs. Frank Finnerty, substitute teaching, $25; Addison Gas & Power Co., gas, $2.19; Addison Coal Co., $238.61; Lowe & Campbell, two footballs, $12.51; Comptroller of New York State, $4,342.50, interest on school bonds; First National Bank of Addison, interest on bonds, $225; A. H. Thompson Co., registration cards, $6.25; Bardeen School Supply Co., $5.53; L. E. Handy, hardware, 45c; Acme Chemical Co., janitor supplies, $38.25; Crane Insurance Co., $215.23 and Luke Brown, repairs to auditorium seat and valve, $5.

Trustees present were President Maurice E. Miller, Andrew Knebel, B. E. Ackerson, Mrs. Susan D. Perry and Robert Willson.

TUSCARORA

Mrs. Portus Cook is a patient in the Corning Hospital where she underwent an operation Friday evening for appendicitus.

Miss Ellen Buck of Elkland spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Teho Smith and family.

The Rev. M. L. Lowe of Bible School Park spoke in the church here Sunday.

Pierce Kells and Mrs. Martha Palmer of Farmington spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Niles.

Herman Clark and son Junior spent the holiday with relatives in Rochester.

THE BRANCH

Sarah White returned home from Elmira Saturday where she has been visiting relatives.

Robie and Eliza Head and Reuben White were in Bath Saturday on business.

John Knapp, Jr., of Owego spent Christmas at his home here.

George Gardner and sons of Bath have been back on the hill recently.

Russian scientists have found that the influence of rarified atmosphere on the human organism makes it necessary to avoid the use of large amounts of fats at great altitudes. The studies were made in connection with climbing Mount Elbrus, the highest peak in Europe.

SIMONS HILL

A Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. George Bonham of Woodhull, R. D. 2 are parents of a daughter, Betty Jean, born Sunday, December 22, weighing 6½ pounds. Mrs. Arthur Mead is caring for Mrs. Bonham.

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Mrs. Winifred Foyal received word that her sister, Mrs. James Calhoun of Galeton has been confined to her bed by an attack of intestinal flu. Mrs. Calhoun is some better at present writing.

Farm Security Officers Warn of Fire Hazards

Wellsville, N. Y. —Comparing the number of accidents on farms and in industry, Charles Will, Supervisor of the Farm Security Administration, said here today that 4,500 accidental farm deaths occurred in the United States last year, while industrial losses were cut to 1,900.

"Business has long organized to cut accidents", Mr. Will pointed out, "while most farm people have not really begun to be safety conscious. Few of us realize the extent of farm accidents,—last year they cost a billion dollars, one-tenth of the country's total farm income."

Farm families who participate in the Farm Security program are asked to check possible danger points on the farm and in the home, so as to eliminate risks as much as possible.

Farmers are cautioned to look out for fire hazards—fire losses alone cost a hundred million dollars last year. Mr. Will told the incident of the cat which caught fire from a leaking oil stove, dashed into a haystack and burned off the barn, hen house and seventeen tons of hay.

Spontaneous combustion in the haymow, caused by damy or partly cured hay, may be prevented by adding a peck of salt to each load of hay. Buckets of water, containing salt or calcium chloride to prevent freezing, should be handy here and there about the farm. Other precautions against fires are good electrical connections, lightning rods on buildings and care in using and storing gasoline or petroleum products.

"As for the livestock," Mr. Will reminded, "never trust a bull, and always let the horse know you're there before you enter the stall. The neglect of such things as rotted ladder rungs, a rickety step and hidden pitchfork can cause a farm catastrophe."

Mr. Will also emphasized care in handling machinery, and the use of safety devices were possible.

"These precautions against accidents," Mr. Will explained, "are a part of FSA policy — to help deserving families who operate small farms restore them to a sound working basis."

The families who participate in the FSA program operate their farms according to farm and home plans worked out with the help of county supervisors. These plans stress the raising of family food and feed for the livestock right on the farm, thus reducing the cash outlay. A small loan helps carry out the plans by enabling the family to purchase such necessities as feed, seed, fertilizer, machinery and equipment.

"Time lost and money spent on doctor bills make accidents costly to any farm family," Mr. Will said, "but especially so to our FSA families, who, at best, operate on a slender margin. They need their money for other things."

"Farm and home plans do allow for emergencies," he said, "but costly accidents may undo much of the progress which a family has made toward self-sufficiency."

"Also," Mr. Will concluded, "since ours is a live-at-home program, it seems only proper that the home be made a safe place to live in."

News of Addison Folks In Western New York

By William H. Rial

Miss Jennie M. Huson, who recently died in Penn Yan, aged 84 years, was a sister of the late Calvin J. Huson, one-time resident of Addison, an attorney, who became state-wide known as New York agricultural commissioner. Miss Huson was born in Farrington and attained a national record of 45 years as high school teacher. She is survived by a nephew, Ross Huson of Penn Yan, and a niece, Mrs. Paul H. Hoffman of Hamburg, Erie County.

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Mark Hanrahan, well known in Addison, is quoted by the Batavia Times as allowing that December is a poor month in which to get in too deep in stocks and bonds—"and the other eleven months are just as bad".

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Sherman B. Slocum, another Addisonian, president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, receives all the season's congratulations because of the wonderfully fine and profuse holiday electric street decorations and displays placed by the organization, which owns and adds yearly to the equipment, by far the most extensive in Western New York.

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Anthony J. Fix, who years ago played on the Addison baseball club, has been in ill health several weeks, but is better. He runs an auto service business at Corfu.

NEW YEAR'S GUESTS

Mrs. Daisy Widger of Front street entertained the following guests for New Year's dinner: Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Plummer and daughters Joanne and Patricia of Elmira; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Chasey and daughter Althea, Mr. and Mrs. Burdette Beers and daughter Janet, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kinney, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller, George Harlock, Jerry Quill, Clifford Havens, Harold Widger and Bernard Lindsley.

HOME BUREAU MEETINGS

Jan. 6—Freeman unit will meet at the home of Mrs. Hattie Woodbeck for the second lesson on meat cooking.

Jan. 7—Troupsburg unit will meet at the home of Mrs. Owens at 10:30 A. M. for a meat cooking demonstration. Meetings will be in charge of Mrs. Mather.

Jan. 8—Greenwood unit will meet for a lesson on reconstructing furniture.

Jan. 8—Riverside unit will meet at the home of Mrs. Fonte, 63 Elm street, at 1 P. M. for a lesson on posture given by Mrs. Mathewson.

Jan. 8—Painted Post unit will meet for their second family life discussion "Making Others Laugh With You."

Jan. 9—Borden unit will meet for a lesson on meat cooking.

Jan. 9—Woodhull unit will meet for a lesson on reconditioning furniture.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS

To the Shareholders of
The First National Bank of
Addison, Addison, N. Y.

Your are hereby notified that the annual meeting of the shareholders of the First National Bank of Addison will be held in the Directors' Room in the banking house on Main Street in the Village of Addison, New York on the 14th day of January, 1941 at ten o'clock A. M. to elect directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before such meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors.
49-6t Ray S. Brown, President.

Small farmers in Allegany and Steuben Counties who need help in planning or financing their farm operations for the coming year may get in touch with Charles Will, in the Farm Security office located at the Post Office Bldg. in Wellsville, and on Thursday at the Post Office in Bath, New York.

Nazi Life Shown In Avon Picture Here Sunday

The motion picture, "The Man I Married" opens at the Avon Theatre Sunday for three days with an all-star cast including Joan Bennett, Francis Lederer, Lloyd Nolan, Anna Sten, Otto Kruger and many others.

This picture sings a hymn of Nazi hate in terms every man and woman can understand without having to figure what it's all about. Originally widely read in magazine serialized form as "I Married a Nazi", the picture has attracted a great deal of attention and comment.

The tale concerns a woman who returned to the homeland of her husband on a vacation trip with her son. The husband became imbued with the electric fascination of Nazi power and cold precision while the wife realizes that all she has read about Nazi life in American newspapers are not editorial fancies or exaggerations.

Her husband falls in love with an avid Nazi girl, Anna Sten, and then refuses to permit his wife and son to return to their American home. The husband's father finally informs the son that his mother was a Jewess and with the aid of a newspaperman, Lloyd Nolan, the wife finally leaves for home leaving the husband disillusioned as his German girl friend leaves him also.

The management of the Avon Theatre is to be commended for bringing this high class production to Addison at this time. The picture is timely in view of the Nazi domination of much of Europe.

In Mexico City, Edward Rickenbacker, world war ace and now president of Eastern Air Lines, expressed the opinion that Britain will weather the winter conflict with Germany, and that before the end of next summer America will be in the war at her side to help with the full weight of its men, armaments and money.

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"Who and Where" Among Our Woodhull and Vicinity Folks

Miss Dorothy Paul returned to Boston, Mass, Friday after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Andrews and daughter Eleanor were guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Andrews of Hammondsport.

Mr. and Mrs. LaRue Symonds, daughter, Laura, Mr. and Mrs. William Symonds of Woodhull, spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn Towner of Addison.

B. S. Husted returned to Rochester Friday after spending a few days at the home of his mother, Mrs. John Husted.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Preston and family spent Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Preston's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Perry of Middlebury.

Mrs. Frank Dart and son, Frank Jr., were dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hotaling Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Morton had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis of Andover, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kilmer, Alton, Dorr and Noreen Kilmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert O'Donnell and daughter Kathleen of Allegany, Mr. and Mrs. James Calhoun of Galeton were guests of Mr. and Mrs Harold Mason Friday evening.

Robert Morgan returned to Mitchell Field, L. I. after spending a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morgan.

Junior Card of Alfred is spending a few days at the home of his sister, Mrs. Gilbert Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stewart of Canisteo, formerly of Woodhull, took their daughter, Onalee, to Elmira Sunday. She leaves for a week's vacation in Washington, D. C. Enroute home they called on Mrs Stewart's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Brown.

Mrs. Leslie Hodge entertained at a luncheon Friday: Mrs. H. B. Wilson, Mrs. L. H. Leach, Mrs Ernest Husted and Miss Therressa Colvin

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Husted and daughter Minnie entertained Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Huster for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown entertained Tuesday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Brown and children and Lorraine and Miss Doris Brown and Allen Seeley of Osceola.

Mrs. William Paul and children Dorothy, Patricia and Harold were Sunday guests of Mrs. C. W. Prindle and family at Elkland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Smith and Mrs. Asa Smith were in Bath recently after Mr. Smith's sister, Mrs. Winifred Wade who is employed at the Davenport home.

Mrs. John Brugger spent Christmas with her family here.

Ben Johnson of Cortland called on his brother Jabe Johnson after attending his sister's funeral at Jasper.

Craig Munsell of New Hampshire is home for a few weeks after which he will return and work for Montgomery Ward & Co.

Mrs. Marion Crans was in Elmira last week.

Mrs. Robert Miller, Mrs. Curtis Miller and Miss Marlene Randolph spent Friday in Corning.

Mrs. Geneva Snyder is ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Belcher.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gossner of Fabius formerly teachers here were calling on friends this week

Mr. and Mrs. Jabe Johnson and Earle Brown attended the funeral of Mrs. N. A. Hartwell of Jasper Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon English and daughter Marguerite of Covington have been visiting Mrs. Englishe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Symonds.

Mrs. William Moore and son Lee and Walter Turner spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dyer of Jasper.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hallett and daughter spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Willis Stickles.

Mrs. Howard Leach and children, Howard, Jr., and Elizabeth, Mrs. Howard Wilson, Mrs. Ernest Husted and Miss Therressa Colvin spent Thursday afternoon in Corning.

Gordon Munson spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Seward Heckman in East Troupsburg.

Mrs. Roy Herrington and daughter Esther and Miss Aldema Harrington were in Hornell Friday.

Miss Therressa Colvin and Howard Leach, Jr., have returned to Buffalo after spending their vacations at their respective homes They were accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Leach. She will remain until Sunday then go to her school at Groton City.

Eldon Seamons divinity student of Maryville College, Tennessee has been visiting his father Ray Seamons. He preached at the Baptist Church Sunday evening.

Andrew Cornell of Painted Post spent Wednesday evening with his mother, Mrs. Pearl Cornell.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt McCaslin and Mr. and Mrs. Coral Cook were in Elmira Friday.

Miss Gertrude Smith, a student nurse at Mayer Memorial Hospital Buffalo spent Thursday and Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith.

Mrs. Elizabeth Meredith of Corning has been visiting her niece, Mrs. Robert Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Davis and children Gene, David, Sally Ann, and Curry Beach spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. C. E. Davis at Middlebury.

Harold Cady of the U. S. Coast Guard, spent his vacation with his family at Paul Owens'. He expects to leave soon for Hawaii.

Francis Munson of Buffalo visited his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Munson Wednesday evening.

Miss Ruby Johnson was in Bath Thursday to see Miss Adelaide Perkins who is ill.

The following young people went bowling Tuesday evening: Betty Hallett, Mary Thomas, Cecile Grant Betty Munson, Priscilla Peters and Norseen Kilmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wilson and Therressa Colvin were in Knoxville Tuesday.

Howard Jr. and Elizabeth Leach are spending a few days in Elmira.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Andrus entertained the following at their home Wednesday: Mrs. Cora Brotzman, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Morris and son Larry of Corning, William Bauter, Honeoye Falls, and Grace Crans.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Symonds had as their guests Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Gordon English and daughter of Covington, Pa., and Mrs. Leland Kilmer and daughter Heather. The twin sons of Mrs. Kilmer are recovering from a recent illness and were unable to go.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller were hosts to the following: Mrs. Caroline Prutsman, superintendent of nurses at the Arnot-Ogden Hospital Elmira; G. P. Erwards, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Erwin of Corning; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Miller, Isabelle Miller and Marlene Randolph.

The Christmas party of the Williams family was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Williams Wednesday. The following were there: Hazel Williams of Elmira; Mrs. D. L. Miller, Harley and Dale Miller of Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Leach of Elmira spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hovard Leach.

Mrs. Daisy Nixon of Lewiston spent last week with her mother Mrs. L. Lounsberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith and children Marvin and Shirley of Corning, Pearl and Agnes Towsley. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ten Broeck Mrs. R. C. Towsley spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. E Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellison Hotaling of Addison spent the week-end at the George Hotaling home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Moore and children Warren and Beverly of Hornell spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Jabe Johnson.

Mr. ad Mrs. Charles Peters entertained the following at Christmas breakfast: Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Burr of Corning, Mr. and Mrs Fred Stratton of Painted Post Stanley and Beverly Patterson, and Darland Peters.

The following were guests o Mr. and Mrs. Everitt Kilmer fo Christmas dinner; Mr. and Mrs Peter Laffkas and daughter Martha of Addison, Mr. and Mrs. LaRue Symonds and daughter Laura of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sly entertained his mother, Mrs. Hattie Sly fo over the holidays.

Mrs. John Covert entertained her three daughers and their families on Wednesday. They include Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grant, Phyllis, Roselyn and Gerald Grant, an Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Grant an Cecile, Virginia, George, Dale Elaine Grant, Mr. and Mrs. William Brosnan and daughter Mary Ann, Kathrine and Patricia, Mrs Ford of Hornell, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Schoonover and son Gene of Jasper, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Coombs and daughter Delores of Gang Mills and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reynolds Douglas and Shirley Reynolds and Mrs. Harriett Hober.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Brown and children Benedict and Lorraine spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hugenor of Campbell.

Miss Alberta Dennis returned to her home in Greenwood Sunday after spending several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sterle Olin.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carpenter and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Grist attended the annual meetig of the farm and Home Bureau and 4-H Club at Bath Friday.

Donald Olin is home from Rochester for his vacation.

Nancy Lee Bradley of Middlebury Center, spent a few days with her cousin Sally Ann Davis.

Elected Matron

Word has been received here that Mrs. Saron Husted, formerly of this place, has been elected Worthy Matron of Cincinnatus Chapter, Order of Eastern Star of Great Barrington, Mass. Mrs. Husted and her staff of officers will be installed by the Grand Matron of the State of Massachusetts on January 4. Mrs. Husted has many friends in this place who will be pleased to hear of her election to this office. Mr. Husted was principal of the W. H. S. for five years and during their stay here Mr. Husted was Assistant Grand Lecturer of Steuben Co. and Mrs. Husted held various offices in the Woodhull O. E. S. Mr. Husted is the son of Neva Husted.

Christmas Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Williams entertained at a Christmas dinner Wednesday members of the Kilburne family consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kilburne, Jr. and children Joan, Jimmie and Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson and son Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. David Murdock and children Jane and Jack and Walter Kilburne of Austinburg; Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Kilburne of Wellsboro; Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Lewis and three children, and Mrs. Lola Symonds of Andover; Miss Bessie Lane and Arthur Lane of Austinburg; and Gary and Suzanne Williams.

Colgrove Family Home For Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Colgrove entertained the following members of their family Christmas: Mr. and Mrs. Otis Colgrove and children, Phyllis, Barbara, Beverly, Janet and Patricia, Elmira Heights; Mr. and Mrs. Roger Towsley and children, Chester, Ronald , Alberta, Alfreda and Viola, South Canisteo; Edgar Wilson and Miss Bertha Colgrove of Barton.

Carroll — Van Skiver

Frank Carroll of Geneva and Miss Lina Van Skiver of Jasper were married by Justice of the Jeace Carl Carpenter at his home Friday evening. The attendants were her brother and sister Wilbur and Lola Van Skiver of Jasper. Both the bride and bridesmaid were attired soldier blue crepe with light blue trimmings and had corsages of yellow California jonquils and ferns. Mr. Carroll is the milk tester in this part of the county and has many friends who extend congratulations.

Grange Enjoys Tree

Members of the Woodhull Grange and their families and guests enjoyed a Christmas tree and party following the regular meeting Saturday evening. Christmas carols were sung followed by a play, "The Dearest Thing in Boots". Those taking part were Paul and Chester Cook, Fannie Bollen, Kate Symonds and Irene and Pauline Cook. Gifts were exchanged and refreshments serced.

SUNDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Loper and daughter Mary Esther had as guests Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Myron Austin, Vernon and Joyce Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hulbert and sons Frank, Ronald, Edwin Jr. and Dean of Troupsburg; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Morton and son Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Preston and daughters Donna and Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Preston and son Gerald of this place.

DINNER GUESTS

Miss Therressa Colvin entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Leach and daughter Julith Ann of Elmira; Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Leach, Miss Betty Leach, Howard Leach, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Husted and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wilson.

CHRISTMAS TREE

A program, Christmas tree and gifts were enjoyed Sunday evening in the Baptist Church. Recitations were given by Leon Hackett, James Gill, Calysta Hibbard, Walter Hackett, Charles McConnell and Julia Gill. The story of the "Prince of Peace" was read by Rev. D. H. Davis.

CHRISTMAS GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Park Boyd entertained the following on Christmas day: Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dyer of Fort Covington; Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Williams and daughter Janet and Mrs. Carrie Tew of this place and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bentley and son Kenneth of Addison.

CHRISTMAS GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Wheatcraft had as their guests for Christmas dinner his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Calkins, Roy, Sherman and Eileen Calkins, Miss Marion Hibbard, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Brown, Benedict and Lorraine Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Rensalear Calkins and children Rensalear and Doris.

MOVES HERE

The household goods of Albert Olmsted were moved this week from Rochester to his farm known as the Conrad farm. He will reside here with a daughter. Mr. Olmsted has extensive farm interests here and previously has managed them from Rochester.

A DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lute are the parents of a nine-pound daughter, born December 29. The young lady has been named Shirley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith were in Buffalo Friday.

We hope there was no satire intended in the gift to President Roosevelt of a painting entitled "Doves of peace by the noted Chinese artist Chang Shu-Ching, presented by Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek.

Christmas Program at Methodist Church

The following program was given at the Methodist Church Monday evening. It was preceded by a supper held in the Hopper Memorial. Miss Betty Park presided at the piano: Song, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear"; prayer and Scripture reading, Rev. Held; recitation, "Babe in the Manger", Ann Fuller; recitation, Charles Oakley; dialogue, "The Four Seasons", Kenneth Oakley, Tommy Smith, Suzanne Williams and Alfred Fuller; song, "Christmas Belongs to All", Kathryn and Joan Mason; recitation, "My Present", Tommy Smith; song, Jackie Held; pageant, "The Great Gift", Angel, Dreda Symonds, assisted by Irene and Pauline Cook, Eva Mosher, Norine Kilmer, Priscilla Peters and Marion Mason as seniors, Kathryn Mason, Betty Jean Munson and Pauline Hotaling as intermediates, Edd Symonds, American flag bearer, Harold Symonds, Christian flag bearer, assisted by Jeff Smith, Gary Williams, Stanley Paterson, Clarence Miller, Harold Paul and Earl and William Rice with the following as candle bearers: Mary and Margaret Monham, Josephine and Arline Hadley, Daisy Miller and Joyce Munson. An offering was taken for the Williamsville Home for children followed by distribution of gifts.

NORTH JASPER

Christmas News

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Stephens entertained at dinner on Christmas day the following: Mr. and Mrs Clark Dennis, Russell Stephens and friend of Jasper, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crane and sons of Troupsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hayes, daughter Ellen Jaye, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Lamson, Miss Amelia Reynolds.

The Marlatt and Allen families enjoyed a Christmas tree at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Marlatt, Christmas Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Dennis and son Warren spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Wayne Marsh and family of Marsh Hill.

Warren Dennis returned home Christmas Day from Alexandria, Va., where he accompanied his sister,Mrs. Elsworth Wilson. She went there to join her husband who is working on army camps. Warren's father met him at Addison.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Marlatt were in Cameron Christmas day and attended a family gathering at her father's home.

Mrs. Myrtle Marlatt and William Strait spent Christmas Day with her daughter, Mrs. Hobart Vanderhoef and family in Canisteo.

The families of Lawrence Dennis and James Marlatt spent Christmas Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen of Hedgesville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Van Skiver spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Sherman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Marlatt accompanied their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Burd to Olean Christmas Day.

Sunday visitors of Mrs. Myrtle Marlatt and William Strait were Mrs. Margaret Strait, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Strait and Miss Velma Strait of Jasper.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Sherman and daughters were in Canisteo Tuesday and called on Mrs. Betsy Waight whose condition remains about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wood were in Canisteo Tuesday.

James Burns' cattle truck was in the neighborhood one day last week with some cattle for Mrs. Myrtle Marlatt.

Barn Burns

One morning last week when William Strait went to the horse barn on the Myrtle Marlatt farm, to feed the pig, he found a fire burning in the stairway, with the aid of Mrs. Marlatt and Lawrence Dennis, who was passing by they put out the fire, after some quite exciting moments. The origin of the fire is unknown as the barn is not occupied and unused except for the small pig kept there.

NORTHRUP HILL

A Son

A son LaVerne James, weighing eight pounds, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Alton Sherwood Tuesday, December 24. Evelyn Hibbard is caring for Mrs. Sherwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson Johnson Harry, Alice and Lyle Johnson and Gertrude Cornell spent Christmas near Ithaca.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Abbey, Howard and Allen Abbey of Rathbone, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Neal of South Hil, Wilard Wiliams, Mary John, Afreda and Dennis Williams spent Christmas at the Lewis Williams home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sullivan spent Wednesday at the home of Clarence Bullock in Addison.

Mrs. Edd Preston, daughter Edna, Mable Burdick, Mrs. Joe Wilder of Rathbone, Mrs. Harmon Perry and Rachel Perry of Perry Creek attended the entertainment held at the school house Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Sherwood entertained their children and families for Christmas.

Eva Williams spent Wednesday night till Friday with Mary Williams of W. Rathbone.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Williams, son Paul were in Addison Saturday morning.

Edd Bouten, Sam and Shirley Pawling of Hedgesville spent Friday afternoon with Glen Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Williams and children, Mr. and Mrs. Watson Johnson and children, Mrs. Harold Rinde attended the Christmas entertainment at Hedgesville last Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Williams and children attended church and Sunday school at Hedgesville Sunday.

STAR ROUTE

Mr. and Mrs. Coral Vance and sons, John and James spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Taft in Woodhull.

Howard Bates of Corning spent Tuesday with his family.

Mrs. James Holden and Mrs. Park Holden and son James attended the Christmas tea at the home of Mrs. Hugh Hilborn, Borden, Friday afternoon.

Charles Abbott's two nephews from Belmont, spent the Christmas recess with him and their grandmother, Mrs. Mina Abbott .

Park Holden and Bernard Dignen of Freeman were in Elmira Thursday.

Martha Groves is enjoying her Christmas vacation from the Addison High School.

Mr. and Mrs. W .B. Vance and Mrs. Nettie Carpenter recently spent an afternoon in Savona.

Mrs. Park Holden and Mrs. G. N. Arnold of Addison spent Monday in Corning of business.

Mr. and Mrs. James Holden called recently on her brother Orra Hurd and his wife of Nichols Crossings. Mr. Hurd recently fell and injured his knee.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Carl of Jasper called on the Holden family recently.

WEST RATHBONE

A Son

Mr. and Mrs. Lorey Allington are the parents of a son born Tuesday, December 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Portus Cook and children of Nelson, Pa., were dinner guest Christmas day of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Perry and family were shopping in Corning Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sherwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Sherwood of Northrup Hill, Wednesday.

Wheeler Perry and Asa Parks were dinner guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Parks of Orr Hill.

Mrs. Samantha Wakeley, Miss Josephine Potter and John Wilson visited Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perry, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Perry, Mary Ellen Perry of Hedgesville, Doris Perry of Trenton, N. J., Mr and Mrs. James Monahan and children of South Hill were supper guests at the home of Wheeler Perry Tuesday evening.

BOYDS CORNERS

School has been closed for the Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Walrath Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cornell, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mechant and LaVinnie Boyd attended the funeral of Mrs. Than Hartwell at Jasper Thursday.

Orrin Taft spent Christmas with friends at Osceola.

The many friends of Mrs. Nina Dennis, who has been sick at the Bethesda Hospital in Hornell for several weeks, are pleased to hear she is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Walrath of Woodhull visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Walrath Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burns and daughter Lyna called on her mother Sunday evening on their way home from Melbourne, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Freer and son Dicky, Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Norris and Mrs. Bessie Norris of Wellsville visited at Norman Starts recently.

RATHBONE

Rev. and Mrs. E. S. Cole are spending the holidays with their son, Dean I. Cole at Seagerstown, Pa.

Miss Nellie Manley of Binghamton visited her sister, Mrs. Gerald Gardner a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Soles visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miles recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Neal of South Hill are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. William Abbey.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cornish and son Donald of Warren, Ohio, visited at the H. L. Reynolds' home and other relatives in this vicinity over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Martin spent Sunday at the Clarence Martin home in Corning.

THE GULF

Mr. and Mrs. William Hall spent Christmas at the home of his brother, Norman Hall in Hornell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Sherwood were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barrett Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clinton spent Tuesday night at their home here.

Floyd Crandall spent Christmas with Miss Florence Greenfield of Avoca.

Kenneth Barrett visited friends in Owego recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barrett and son Kenneth visited the former's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Griffiths of Painted Post Sunday.

Mrs. Ella Simmons and daughters Dorothy and Doris were in Bath Saturday afternoon.

OSCEOLA, ROUTE 1

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Pierce entertained their children and grand children from Baltimore, Maryland, Endicott and and Sidney, Christmas Day.

Liona Resue and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Resue's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fritz of Addison and enjoyed a turkey dinner.

John and Perley Slade of Elkland called of the Rev. and Mrs. Jacob Mitchell, Tuesday afternoon, of ast week.

Tom and Ben Champlin spent Christmas with their sister, Mrs. Julia Stewart of Addison Star Route.

John Baker and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horning.

John McCaslin of Boston, Mass., spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McCaslin.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Smith spent

Hate Worst Foe Of Democracy Asserts Hughes

"Rancor and bigotry, racial animosities and intolerance are the deadly enemies of democracy", asserted Chief Justice Hughes upon his acceptance of the citation from the National Conference of Christians and Jews, which praised his contribution to the improvement of human relations and advocacy of national unity.

"Liberty cannot be conserved by majority rule unless the majority hold basic individual rights sacred regardless of race or creed, so that, along with our differences of view, political and religious, we have a deep and abiding sense of human dignity and worth, and hence of our capacity for friendly cooperation in pursuit of common ideals of justice.

"Rancor and bigotry, racial animosities and intolerance, are wholly incompatible with that cooperation. They are the deadly enemies of true democracy, more dangerous than any external force because they undermine the very foundations of democratic effort."

Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker

William McCaslin has the frame built for his new house.

The Rev. Jacob Mitchell and Liona Resue called on Walter Bollen Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Walsh of Curtis Hollow spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McCaslin.

A. D. Allen and family spent Christmas night with Glen Sutton and family of Woodhull.

Mrs. Liona Resue spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Jacob Mitchell.

Walter Johnson and Glen Sutton of Woodhull trucked wood for Rev. Jacob Mitchell last week in Osceola and Elkland.

Marshall Kelley spent Sunday afternoon with George Newland.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mason of Elkland recently called on the Rev. and Mrs. Jacob Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horning were shopping in Elkland Saturday.

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Elec. Poppers $1.19 Less 10%

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NOTICE

The annual election of officers of the Addison Fire Department will be held Wednesday, January 8, 1941 in the Welles Hose Rooms, City Hall. Polls will be open from 7 to 8 o'clock P. M.

Sec. Fire Board

Nazi Films Ruled Hatred Fomenters

The Superior Court of Los Angeles has held that the showing of German made films, however innocent the purpose, is a means for fomenting hatred, criticism and enmity, in upholding the right of two theatre owners to cancel leases. The owners canceled a lease which permitted the operator the use of the theatre. They charged he exhibited German propaganda motion pictures furnished at no cost by the German consulate.

A London air-raid siren was shipped home by Ambassador Kennedy to be used at his Cape Cod home for calling his youngsters ashore from their boats.

Grangers Will Observe Souvenir Night

Lecturer Thomas Kane, jr., has arranged a unique program for the members of Addison Grange at their next meeting. The night will be known as "Souvenir Night" and all coming to the meeting are asked to bring a souvenir of some place they have visited. This should bring to light little known trips, places and souvenirs in the lives and homes of the members.

Mrs. Judson Bridgman

Mrs. Jennie Bridgeman died Friday, December 27 at her home on Goodhue Hill, where she has lived for the past nine years. She came to this vicinity upon her marriage to Judson Bridgman at that time. She was formerly Miss Jennie Ludwig.

She leaves two daughters and a son in the west. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon. The Rev. Nicholas Van Cossaboon of the Addison Methodist Church officiated. Burial was in Addison Rural Cemetery. Bearers were Harold B. Smith, Lawrence Benedict of this village, Clarence Merrill and Raymond Hough of Bath, George M. Smith and Eugene Benedict of Addison.

Dish For This Week

Turkey Tetrazzini

The problem of how to serve half a dozen persons from a cupful of cold turkey meat and how to add interest to it may be solved by the following recipe for turkey Tetrazzini, suggested by the New York State College of Home Economics:

Turkey Tetrazzini

1 cup of white sauce made with rich milk or cream and seasoned with salt, pepper and celery salt
1 cup of cooked turkey, cut in thin strips
1/2 cup of cooked spaghetti, cut in 1/2 inch pieces
1/2 cup of mushroom caps, sliced and sauteed in butter
1/3 cup of grated strong cheese
3/4 cup of buttered cracked crumbs

Bring the white sauce to a boiling point and add the turkey, the spaghetti and the sauteed mushrooms. Fill a buttered casserole dish, or individual ramekins, with the mixture, sprinkle it with the grated cheese and cracker crumbs, and bake it in a hot oven (425 degrees Fahrenheit) until the crumbs are brown. This serves about six persons.

Suggested menu using left-overs from New Year's dinner: turkey Tetrazzini on toast; canned peas or asparagus; cranberry jelly; pear, apple or grape salad with French dressing and crackers; plum pudding or fruit cake with a different sauce (foamy, lemon, apricot, custard, or hard sauce); and coffee, tea or milk.

OUR ERROR IT SEEMS —

It is not heat, but rays of various wave lengths which the sun sends out through limitless space. And it isn't until those rays reach the protective atmosphere around the earth that they meet a resistance which changes them into heat by friction and makes them warm by the time they hit any object here on earth.

CHURCHES

ST. CATHERINE'S CHURCH
Rev. Patrick Kelly, Pastor

Sunday Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 A. M. Daily Mass at 8:30.
Confessions Saturday afternoon and evening.

ADDISON
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
J. V. Axtell, Minister

Holy Communion will be observed at 10:30.
Church School meets at 11:45.
Union service in the evening at the Baptist Church at 7:45. This service opens our observance of our Week of Prayer.
Monday evening the Tuxis Club holds its social and business meeting.
The observance of the Week of Prayer contiuues with three weekday evening services: Tuesday evening in the Baptist Church the topic will be: Thy Way, Objects and By-Products of Prayer. This will be presented by Rev. J. V. Axtell. Wednesday evening in the Methodist Church the topic will be: Prayer Patterns; Private, Intercessory, and Prayer Fellowship. This will be offered by Rev. M. C. Johns. Thursday evening in the Presbyterian Church Rev. N. V. Cossaboon will speak on: The Lord's Prayer; Prayer for God, Our Physical Needs, and Our Spiritual Requirements.
These services are open to the public and the time is 7:30 P. M.
Next Wednesday evening the Presbyterian Guild meets at the home of Mrs. Wyckoff Sehrwood.
Choir rehearsal at the Church Saturday at 7:30 P. M.

ADDISON METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. N. V. Cossaboon, Minister

Sunday—
10:00 A. M.—Sunday school.
11:00 A. M.—Worship service.
7:45 P. M.—Union service in the Baptist Church.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Mondula C. Johns, Pastor

Friday, 7:30 P. M. — Taber Class Pal Party in the Church.
Sunday—
10:30 A. M. — Morning worship — "New Year's Sermon"
11:45 A. M.—Sunday School
6:15 P. M. — Intermediate BYPU. Carrie Jean Pierson will be the leader.
6:45 P. M.—Senior BYPU.
7:45 P. M. — Evening worship service and union mass meeting to begin the Week of Prayer services. Everyone is invited.
Monday night, 7:30 P. M.—Official Board meeting at the church.
Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday—Week of Prayer Services—See special writeup in another part of this paper.

CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER
Rev. William J. Willson

Sunday—
8:00 A. M.—Holy Communion.
10:30 A. M.—Holy Communion and sermon.
11:45—Sunday school.
Monday—Feast of Epiphany—
Holy Communion 8:00 A. M.

RATHBONE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. N. Van Cossaboon, Minister

Worship service at 9:30 A. M.
10:30 A. M.—Sunday school.

TUSCARORA BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Melbourne Riffle

Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Graham Kohler, superintendent.
Preaching service at 11 A. M.

JASPER METHODIST CHURCH
"The Church of Friendly People"
Fred'k DeL. Raymond, Minister

Sunday worship at 10:45 A. M.
Bible School at 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League at 7:15 P. M.

BORDEN BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Elwyn Baker, Pastor

11:00 A. M.—Morning worship.
12:00 noon—Sunday school.
7:30—Young People's meeting.

WOODHULL METHODIST CHURCH
J. J. R. Held, B. D., Minister

9:45 A. M.—Morning worship.
10:45 A. M.—Sunday school

TROUPSBURG METHODIST CHURCH
J. J. R. Held, B. D., Minister

10:45 A. M.—Sunday school.
11:45 A. M.—Morning worship.
5:00 P. M.—Junior and Intermediate Leagues.
7:30 P. M.—Evening worship.
Thursday evenings, choir rehearsal and Church Night.

NORTH JASPER METHODIST CHURCH
Fred'k DeL. Raymond, Minister

9:15—Morning worship.

AUSTINBURG BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday Services
Morning worship at 10:00
Sunday school at 11:00.
Evening service 7:30.

WOODHULL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. David H. Davis, Pastor

Sunday Services
10:30 A. M.—Morning worship.
11:30 A. M.—Sunday school.
7:30 P. M.—Evening preaching service.

THIS IS HOW IT'S DONE

Outstanding farmers in Steuben County have found that planting crops in strips on the contour, or around the slope, and diversion terraces are two measures that supplement good farming practices and maintenance of soil fertility.

The top picture is a birdseye view of the H. J. Evans farm near Georgetown, N. Y. In the inset Mr. Evans shows how potato rows, on the contour, hold the water, soil and fertility with the result that yields are increased.

On longer slopes, such as the one on the Evans farm, strip-cropping on the contour cannot be expected to hold all the water, especially during heavy thunder showers and when the soil is frozen. This is where diversion terraces give added protection, says W. C. Huff of the Soil Conservation Service.

The lower picture shows a diversion terrace which acts as an eavestrough to intercept the excess water and conduct it slowly to a protected outlet. At the end of a diversion terrace is a simple stone and masonry cut-off wall and apron to the outlet. This prevents the cutting of ground at the end of the terrace.

Sports—

It begins to look as tho Addison will not have a basketball team playing semi-pro ball this year. Lack of organization seems to be the main trouble as far as we can learn.

Ohio State is still seeking a coach for football to take place of Francis A. Schmidt who ended the season with what was considered a poor season at Ohio State.

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Burleigh Grimes has taken over a farm to occupy his mind during the year he is barred from baseball.

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Tommy Farr was rejected for English Army service owing to eye and ear trouble.

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Rose Bowl officials will be Referee, Dutch Conlan ofSt. Mary's, umpire, John Waldorf of Missouri; field judge, Dwight Ream of Washburn and headlinesman Bob Evans of Millikan. Contestants will be Nebraska and Stanford.

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Jimmy Conzelman, St. Louis National football coach has been made vice president of the team.

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Tommy Harmon, Michigan's gift to All-American football and America's number one player this year has engaged a secretary to handle the big volume of mail he receives daily and to take care of his engagements which average several daily.

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Rumors and rumors are coming from New York over the sale of the Yankees to a business group headed by Jim Farley.

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Other Bowl games New Year's are Tennessee and Fordham in the Sugar Bowl, Mississippi State and Georgetown in Orange Bowl Fordham and Texas Aggies in Cotton Bowl and Arizona and Western Reserve in the Sun Bowl.

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Billy Conn and Joe Louis will fight in June. This is another in the series of fights, scheduled one a month for the champion, who already has fought more championship fights than any other in the history of fistiana.

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The first time Tommy Harmon went out for football in high school days the coach was annoyed by his gum chewing and relegated him to the second team. Tommy carried the ball 90 yards for a touchdown the first time he received it and has been on varsity squads since.

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Willie Hoppe, who has been in the national limelight for 34 years is again proving he is master of the three cushion billfard table in match being played for the national championship. The game requires steady nerve and eye and muscular control.

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San Jose College football team has co-captains. They are from the same high school in the same city and they play side by side on the line. They were also captains in high school.

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Penn State will play nine football games next fall. This is the first time in a decade the team has played a nine game schedule. Colgate has been added to the other.

Klan Began as Good-Natured Group

The Ku-Klux-Klan which rode so heroically across the silent screen of "The Birth of a Nation", beginning in 1915, was in no way related to the bands of hooded fanatics who skulked about at night in the '20s burning wooden crosses, frightening unharmed Negroes and spreading rumors that Al Smith was building a tunnel to connect the White House with the Vatican. The earlier organization, an inevitable product of the Reconstruction period, still is mysterious and controversial. After seventy years the original K. K. K. is regarded by some as a terroristic vigilante movement and by others as a romantic and gallant protest against carpet-bagger brutality.

The Klan began good-naturedly when six young men in Pulaski, Tenn., all Confederate veterans and college graduates, decided in December, 1865, to form a club, writes a correspondent to "The Kansas City Star". They called their meeting place "the Den" and their chief officer "Grand Cyclops". There also were a "Grand Scribe", two "Night Hawks" (messengers) and two "Lictors" (guard). The members were called "Ghouls". The organization was called Kuklos, from the Greek word for circle. The transition to Kuklos Clan and thence to Ku-Klux Klan was natural.

Much of the ritual was adopted as a burlesque of college secret society ceremonies. Similarly, the young skylarkers donned a Hallowe'en disguise, wrapping themselves in sheets and riding around town. Superstitious Negroes were frightened and readily accepted the whispered rumors that the "Ghouls" were ghosts of Confederate dead. The Klansmen began to capitalize on their terror-producing capacities. Their fame spread to other parts of the South, and the organization assumed its vigilante character.

The Klan was an unfortunate outgrowth of an unfortunate era. At a time when the South needed wise and tolerant guidance, legislatures became parodies of popular government. The presence of Federal troops was a constant reminder of the South's defeat, and the aggravation was intensified by the activities of Northern exploiters, scalawags and carpetbaggers. The Klan in many sections of the South was a guerrilla counterpart of the lawless Loyal League, created by carpetbaggers to raid and loot. The Negroe should have been immediately sent to school, thus helped through the difficult period of readjustment to their new status as citizens. Instead they were cruelly victimized by promises and threats, promises that they should be given their former master's land, threats that they should be killed if they were caught trespassing.

With unhealthy government favoring its growth, the Klan spread rapidly. Its policy of delivering warnings in terrifying masquerade gave way to beatings and lynchings. It is difficult today to determine the Klan's guilt or innocence of many of the crimes charged against it because lawless elements began to adopt the Klan costume as a mask for petty thievery and pillage. Moreover, to discredit the Klan its opponents tried to pin every outbreak in the South on the organization.

When a Congressional committee wound up an investigation two reports were made on strictly party lines, the Republicans condemning the K. K. K. in the majority report and the Democrats saying, "Had there been no wanton oppression in the South, there would have been no Ku-Kluxism.

State Order Dead If Federal Gov't Suspends in N. Y.

Albany, Jan. 2—Dairymen whose milk goes to the New York metropolitan marketing area will vote again on the proposed amendments to the Federal-State orders which regulate the handling of milk in the metropolitan area.

It was announced by Secretary of Agriculture Wickard and New York State Agriculture Commissioner Noyes that the amendments which failed to carry by sufficient majority in the December mail referendum, will be re-submitted to milk producers in January. Voting in this second referendum will be at polling places.

Secretary Wickard said "in the event that the producer vote in the new referendum . . . is unfavorable, the Department will have no other course than to suspend the present Federal order in the New York milk market effective February 1."

Governor Lehman and Commissioner Noyes went to Washington for conferences with Secretary Wickard and other government officials as soon as it became known that not enough dairymen favored the amendments to make their adoption possible.

Following those conferences, the Federal Government's position was clarified.

Upon his return to Albany, Commissioner Noyes indicated that, in the event the second referendum fails to win sufficient support for the amendments and the Federal order is suspended, the State order would be useless.

It was explained that it would be futile to attempt to operate the State order if the Federal order is withdrawn, inasmuch as the State cannot control interstate commerce in milk entering the New York metropolitan area. The State order applies only to milk shipped intrastate and is complimentary to the Federal order which establishes minimum prices to be paid to milk producers and otherwise regulates the handling of milk in one of the world's largest markets.

Commissioner Noyes said that full details on the forthcoming referendum, including the location of polling places and the time and manner of voting, will be announced at the earliest possible moment.

NAPOLEON'S ONLY NOVEL —

The manuscript of the only novel Napoleon ever wrote, 13 closely written folio pages of his "Clisson and Eugenie", was in the Polish State archives until Warsaw was bombed by the Nazi in September, 1939. It has since disappeared. Could it possibly be in Hitler's or Goering's private library now.

High speed photography at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has shown that baseball bats bend when balls are struck.

Avon Theatre To Show Many Good Pictures

The management of the Avon Theatre in Addison has secured several attractive pictures for coming weeks according to a review of the "future book" kept by them

Several of these pictures have attracted nation-wide attention as being outstanding in cast, comedy or international interest.

Among some of these pictures are "Strike Up the Band" which will appear here in January and the week following that the picture "The Ramparts We Watch" will be shown. This picture attracted more editorial comment than any other during the past year owing to the lessons in patriotism it teaches, while showing America, Europe and other world conditions of the past World War and the present titanic struggle.

Others listed are: "They Knew What They Wanted", Spring Parade", "Seven Sinners" and the hilarious comedy "Hired Wife".

HOME FROM ARMY

Private Leo Guy Cook, Battery D, Fifth Field Artillery, Madison Barracks, Sacketts Harbor, N. ., was at his home here for a visit last week. He is a son of Guy Cook.

AVON

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